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Agricultural Bloc Opens Fight Monday For Early Acceptance Of Ford's Offer

BASEBALL FANS OF TWIN CITIES FAVOR "PRO" LEAGUE FOR APPROACHING YEAR

President Rountree is Instructed to Negotiate for League Meeting

THREE THOUSAND TO BE ASKED OF PUBLIC That Amount Declared to be Necessary to Finance Season of 1922

Albany-Decatur will take a berth in the Alabama-Tennessee league and Charles Rountree, president of the local club, was instructed to get in touch with other league cities and obtain a meeting of the league representatives as soon as possible, according to a decision of fans in the chamber of commerce Friday night.

Committees were appointed at the local meeting to raise a fund of \$3,000 in the Twin Cities to insure baseball here this year. It was left up to the directors of the baseball corporation whether this fund will be accepted as a gift to the club, whether stock will be issued for it after the corporation has raised its capital to take care of the new issue, or what other disposition shall be made of the fund.

The club which directed the destinies of baseball here this summer finished the season with an indebtedness of approximately \$800. President Rountree explained at the meeting last night but this is covered largely by player contracts, equipment and other assets of the club.

President Rountree was appointed temporary chairman of the fans' movement to raise additional funds. Marvin Rankin was named temporary secretary and the following other committees were appointed to solicit subscriptions: Central Albany: W. W. Rahm, J. P. Matlock and J. M. Rainey; Louisville and Nashville shops: W. R. McCluskey, Ray Linger, Obe Lee, A. H. Kelly, T. R. Hodson, Tom Huddleston; Decatur: C. B. Elliott, Harry Nungesser, John W. Jones, Gordon McDuff; Charles Rountree and Marvin Rankin, utility; Rev. W. P. Wilks, general chairman of the campaign; Thomas A. Bowles, treasurer.

The financial committee will meet Monday night at the chamber of commerce to map out plans for raising the amount believed to be necessary to finance baseball here again this season.

According to statements of fans last night prospects are bright for the success of the A-T loop this season and various speakers urged speedy action to insure the opening of the season on time. It was pointed out that player contracts must be placed in the mails in time for them to be received at the home address of the player prior to March 1, or the player becomes a free agent.

President Rountree was expected to begin negotiations at once with other cities, looking to a meeting here at an early date to take up the matter of franchises for the season.

Many Registered In Albany Beat

The Morgan county registrars were at the Albany city hall Saturday and registered a considerable number of future voters. This is the last opportunity Albany citizens will have to register before July, 1923.

The registrars say that there is quite an apathy noticeable in the rural districts about registering and that many do not yet understand the plan. There are yet eighteen places in the county where the registrars will sit for the purpose of registering voters, and those who could, thus, qualify should avail themselves of the opportunity. When the round with dates as advertised is completed there will not be another opportunity to register either at the court house or another beat in the county until July, 1923.

Colonel Harris of Opinion Ford Will Finally Get Plant

Former Member of Congress Believes That Chairman Kahn Will Act as His Conscience Dictates After Hearing All Evidence on Ford Offer

Col. C. C. Harris, former member of congress from this district, and who while in congress was instrumental in furthering legislation favorable to the ultimate development of Muscle Shoals, is strongly of the opinion that the great Wilson dam will be completed soon, that the immense nitrate plant will be put in operation, and that Henry Ford will be the man chosen by congress to accomplish these Herculean tasks.

Col. Harris counsels patience as the final results of action by congress are awaited, declaring that he is acquainted personally with Julius Kahn, chairman of the committee that will consider and report on the Ford offer, and that Mr. Kahn, once he has fully considered the Ford offer, will act in accordance with the dictates of true patriotism.

In speaking of the ability of those who threaten by law to gain options over Mr. Ford for the Shoals, Col. Harris said they "could be left high and dry, and would have no recourse in the courts or anywhere else."

When Col. Harris was seen in his offices in the City National bank late Saturday afternoon and was asked for a statement regarding the Ford offer, he replied in substance as follows, drawing attention first to the reported effort of certain parties to supercede Ford in his bid for the Shoals: "The water power rights in all navigable streams belong to the government, and are controlled and are under the jurisdiction of congress. And no official or department of the government has any right to lease, sell or otherwise dispose of them unless authorized to do so by congress."

"Under what is known as the Adamson bill, passed in the sixty-third congress, the time that any lease or contract could be made was limited to 50 years, and at the expiration of 50 years, the government could reclaim the lease by paying a fair and reasonable price therefor."

"And the Secretary of War very properly determined that he had no right to execute contracts with Mr. Ford and referred the matter to congress where it properly belonged."

"If congress sees proper to accept Ford's offer, in my opinion, this will end the matter. The parties who are threatening litigation would be left high and dry and would have no recourse in the courts or anywhere else."

"The prospects for Ford's offer being accepted, it seems to me, are very bright, as it has ceased, in my judgment, to be a political question, or tainted with politics; but it has become distinctly an agricultural and economic problem."

"The members of congress from the best I can learn, from the Southern, Western, and Middle Western states are almost unanimous in favoring the completion and operation of the Muscle Shoals project. I know Julius Kahn, the chairman of the committee to which the Ford offer will be submitted, and I also know Mr. Kahn to be an able, patriotic and fair man, and in my opinion, his committee will not delay very long in reporting out a bill favoring the Ford offer."

"I have read the debates in congress when the question of completing the Shoals project came time ago, and I noted that James R. Mann, one of the most useful and strongest men in congress for a period of 25 years, strongly favored the government controlling the work, and I further notice that the Hon. J. M. C. Smith, from the Battle Creek, Mich., district, is also for completing the project. From every indication, it seems to me, the great dam and the immense plant at Muscle Shoals will sooner or later be completed. But it will be necessary to ex-

ercise patience and await results. "Do you regard Secretary Weeks' comments as favorable or as unfavorable to Mr. Ford?"

"I regard them as, on the whole, favorable," said the colonel.

DECATUR CITIZENS URGED TO RETURN BIG SCHOOL VOTE

Decatur citizens were urged to again return a big majority in favor of the school bonds in the following card issued Saturday night by Prof. Benson, superintendent of the Decatur schools:

"The people of Decatur will have their election for school bonds again on Tuesday, Feb. 14. They voted almost solidly last fall for an issue of one hundred thousand dollars of school bonds for erection of a high school and repairs, but there was a technical error in the wording of the ballot. Bond buyers wanted this error corrected. Hence the election.

The three-mill tax, voted last fall, was a separate ballot and was all right. It is being collected."

"The Board of Education, Parent-Teachers association and other live organizations of Decatur expect the bond issue to be authorized by even a larger majority than it received last fall, as the schools are more crowded now than they were then, and numerous other towns have since issued bonds for improvement of school facilities."

VALUES WEAK

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Cotton values were weaker today owing to fears of a general strike at the mills in New England.

Keep Up — Take The Daily

Take The Daily and keep up with the procession. It is political year and county politics will wax warm by the time the spring days come. You want to know who is in the field asking for your support; to do this take The Albany-Decatur Daily.

There will also be lots of state politics; a governor, and other state officers, judges, etc., are to be nominated. Our facilities for getting the telegraphic news is as good as the best. We pride ourselves on giving our readers the news while its in bloom, and "scoops" are to the credit of this paper over others in the district and state as well.

Located at the county seat we give you important court news in the decisions rendered in important cases in which the public is interested.

The court calendar of the county is published from time to time thus giving you important information in which you may be interested, and jury lists are published as soon as they are drawn.

In the realm of sports we give them in amplified form, and baseball season will soon be on hand. Take The Daily and keep posted.

There are many other interesting and instructive features of each issue of this paper. If you are not already a subscriber we would be very glad to enroll you as one of our readers.

OFFICIALS DECLARE NEW EVIDENCE HAS BEEN UNEARTHED IN MURDER MYSTERY

Former Valet of Director Sought by the Los Angeles Authorities

SECOND SENSATION SHOCKS MOVIE FOLK

Beautiful Actress Found in Bed Room of Her New York Apartment

(International News Service)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.—New and important evidence, gathered late this afternoon by detectives, was followed immediately by the launching of a relentless search for Edward F. Sanda, former valet of William Desmond Taylor, noted Los Angeles motion picture director, found murdered Thursday morning in his home here.

That Sanda is known positively to be in Los Angeles and that he is regarded as one of the most important witnesses in the probe were statements made tonight by police investigators. Every available officer of the police department and experienced man-hunters of the sheriff's force were detailed to the search.

There were only five witnesses questioned at a coroner's inquest today, one of these being Mabel Normand. The jury returned a verdict that Taylor was killed "by a gun shot wound inflicted by a person or persons unknown to this jury with intent to kill or commit murder."

It was said tonight the police have under surveillance one of the most prominent actors of the Hollywood motion picture colony. They were reported to be investigating his movements on the night of the murder. This actor, who also has directed several pictures, recently is said to have had a bitter quarrel with Taylor due to jealousy over a beautiful motion picture actress. Officers working on this angle of the mystery, would not reveal the actor's name. They said that if he made any attempt to leave the city, his detention would follow.

Declaring that a motive for the crime had been established and that the arrest of a man whom the police believe to be the murderer of Taylor will be made within 24 hours, possibly less, Captain David L. Adams, head of the detective bureau at central police station, threw a bombshell into the case.

ACTRESS IS DEAD

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Another sensation in the motion picture world developed tonight in the death of Miss Florence Deshon, beautiful movie actress, who at one time was reported engaged to marry Charley Chaplin.

Authorities are investigating the case. The young actress, who formerly was a well known member of the Hollywood film colony, died this afternoon at St. Vincent's hospital, where she was removed Friday night after being found unconscious in a bedroom of her apartment.

Gas was escaping from the room where she lay when officers forced an entrance into the apartment.

Valuable Man is Lost to The Daily

Carl Wilkinson leaves today to accept a position as typewriter operator on The Age-Herald, Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Wilkinson has been with The Daily since it was founded, rising from apprentice boy to foreman and qualifying to fill any position in the mechanical department of any paper of similar size.

The change was rendered necessary by illness in his family and he leaves The Daily after long and faithful service. The management greatly regrets to announce the change, and loses Mr. Wilkinson to the gain of The Age-Herald.

THEODORE BATTON OF ALBANY SCHOOL WINNER OF INITIAL SPRINT FOR MEDAL

Local Youth Finishes Several Feet Ahead of Earl Watson

ALL RUNNERS ACQUIT THEMSELVES WELL

Large Crowd on Street Cheered Runners as They Flashed Past

Despite the inclement weather hundreds of people cheered the runners in the two mile race here Saturday. It was the cheering and the school spirit put into the event by the pupils and teachers of the Albany High school that enabled Theodore Batton to put on the last burst of speed and cross the line to victory. Watson of Hartselle and Batton of Albany ran neck and neck for almost the entire distance and when the goal was in sight the cheering increased and Batton had the reserve wind that Watson lacked. The distance between them at the close was about eight feet. Austinville won third prize while Moulton Heights came in fourth. Austinville was represented by Ben and Moulton Heights by Wunder.

The race was staged at 2:30 p. m. The runners were started by Prof. Dowdy on the Somerville road. They ran along this road until Moulton street was reached, thence along this street to Fourth avenue, then a left turn was made to the school building. Boy Scouts were placed along the route to prevent the runners from missing the route.

After the race the medals were delivered to the winners by the County Superintendent of Education, Prof. Hays. A large banner will be ordered for the Albany High School, according to the agreement.

The time taken in running the two miles was 12½ minutes. This is indeed a good record considering the weather and condition of the track. Batton today was being congratulated by his many friends here for his splendid performance, his ability and endurance bringing a great victory to the school he represented.

Watson who finished second, has taken part in many of the athletic contests of the county, and has a number of victories to his credit. In addition to his sprinting qualities he is quite good at pulling different stunts and his ability to mimic some of the great artists of the country amounts to almost a reproduction. Watson captured the silver medal, being only from six to ten feet away from the winner of first prize.

All of the other runners acquitted themselves very well and in face of adverse weather conditions made excellent time. The run from every standpoint was a pronounced success and it is likely that it will be repeated annually.

Salvation Army "Mother" Is Here

Commandant Westbrook, of the Salvation Army, arrived Saturday to spend two weeks doing religious work in the Twin Cities.

The official is affectionately called one of the "mothers" of the Salvation Army in America. She came to this country in 1880, being one of seven feminine Salvation Army workers coming to America from England under command of Commissioner Railton, when the American branch of the army was founded.

MAILS NORMAL

Following interruption of mail service in the Tennessee Valley due to high waters, announcement was made Saturday that deliveries again are normal. Many roads are in extremely bad condition, but the carriers are able to get over them.

FIRE LOSS IS LIGHT HERE IN THE PAST YEAR

The fire loss in Albany was light in 1921, according to the annual report of Fire Chief W. H. Sorber made public Saturday.

The report showed that during the year a total amount of property valued at \$323,860 was endangered by flames. There was a total fire loss in the city of \$23,005.97, but of that amount approximately \$12,000 was suffered when the Band Brothers buildings on the corner of Grant street and the Somerville road burned. There were 85 fires during the year in which actual damage was suffered. Only four alarms were answered in which there was more than comparatively small damage, Chief Sorber said.

DETROIT MEN LOOK INTO LOCAL FIELD; ADVANTAGES SEEN

Chas. M. Ross and J. B. Honeywell, of Detroit, Mich., were here Saturday looking into the advantages of the Twin Cities and vicinity as locations for industries and to make a general investigation as to the opportunities offered.

They were greatly pleased with the outlook and will return here in a few days after making a business trip to the gulf coast.

Mr. Ross remarked that it would be easier to bring the power wires here from Dam No. 3 than it would be to build the railroads out to that point and incidentally mentioned the fact that we should appreciate our two main trunk lines of railway which mean so much to industries and which governs the location of industries to a great extent.

Both gentlemen were much interested in the booklet that is being prepared for the chamber of commerce by Mr. Paige, the Chicago industrial engineer, and said they would like to have the privilege of mailing out a good many copies to Detroit parties on their return from the gulf coast.

More Service Men Now Are Exempted

It is likely that at least 90 per cent of citizens who voted in the amendment election Monday believed they were voting for the same poll tax exemption as was balloted upon last year and later held invalid by the supreme court.

Attention was called to the fact, however, Saturday that the first amendment exempting soldiers and sailors from polls payment, exempted those who had served for three months prior to November 11, 1918. The second amendment voted Monday made no mention of the three months clause.

Mr. Hog Evidently "Knew His Stuff"

Surely the ground hog was right. He evidently knew. The weather has been of the very worst since he came out with his weather eye and viewed the elements, and today while all the higher order of civilization are struggling around to make a living and get hold of a dollar, he is quietly ensconced in his den perfectly oblivious of the disturbed elements on the outside.

At any rate the ground hog sets one good example, he is very patient indeed, and the only act that can be charged to him is that he comes out and goes back when he prognosticates the weather conditions and never murmurs or complains.

HARRIS TO REQUEST SENATE TO ACT ON SHOALS PROPOSALS MONDAY MORNING

Georgian Will Introduce Resolution to Accept Contract For Project

CONCURRENT HEARING TO BE PRECIPITATED

Either One of Four Committees May Receive Manufacturer's Bid

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The senate agricultural bloc will open its battle Monday for immediate acceptance of Henry Ford's offer to lease Muscle Shoals, it was learned tonight.

A resolution, calling upon the senate Monday by Senator Harris, Democrat, of Georgia. Senator Harris will ask that the offer now in contract form be sent to the agricultural committee.

The Ford contract submitted to congress by Secretary of War Weeks was sent to the house of representatives and the senate ordinarily would have to await house action before taking it under consideration. Under the Harris motion the senate will act at once upon the contract.

"I will move that the senate consider Ford's offer at once. Contrary to custom Ford's contract was sent to the house and under the circumstances the senate has nothing to act upon. I will urge that my motion be adopted and the agricultural committee requested to investigate and report upon the contract at once," said Harris tonight.

The Harris motion will precipitate concurrent hearings on the offer in both the senate and the house. It will reflect the sentiment of the agricultural bloc, which is united behind the offer. The bloc, it was indicated, will demand early action from both sides of congress.

Under rules of the senate four committees might take the offer under consideration. These are: the military affairs committee, because the offer embraces army property; the appropriations committee, because an appropriation is necessary; the agriculture committee, because the contract calls for manufacture of fertilizer and the judiciary committee, because a federal contract is involved.

Members of the bloc will urge that the offer be referred to the agriculture committee because of its extreme importance to farmers. This committee, headed by Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, has repeatedly gone on record favoring farm legislation. The bloc, however, feels the offer will be reported favorably by any one of the four committees.

If the matter is referred to the agriculture committee members of the bloc tonight predicted that hearings might start within a week. The bloc hopes to have the contract favorably reported within the next month, so that work might be started, if accepted, by spring.

Serious opposition is expected from the waterpower and fertilizer interests, but the bloc contends it has sufficient support to insure passage of the legislation needed to give Ford the project. This support comes from all agriculture states, including the solid South and from many big Western senators.

Hartselle People Witness Sprint

A large delegation of Hartselle citizens and pupils of the Morgan county high school were here Saturday to witness the cross country run.

Hartselle had one contestant for the honors in the person of Earl Watson, a pupil of the M. C. H. S., who had made quite a record in athletics at different places in county contests.

TRIBUTE IS PAID TO HALE CULLOM

High tribute to the bravery of Hale Cullom and other Yale students recently was paid by Prof. James Atlas, who witnessed the burning of a New Haven theatre, when Cullom was injured. The latter is well known here where he has visited often his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Payne.

Prof. Atlas is quoted in The Nashville Banner as follows:

"I shall never forget that vivid mass of yellow flame and lurid smoke that shot right over the heads of the audience and that wild despairing cry which went up all over the house," said Prof. Atlas. "Next second bedlam broke loose."

Men and women tore frantically at those in front of them in their effort to escape. I was knocked down several times, as was my wife, but I always managed to get to my feet and bring her with me.

"Two young men had jumped on a ledge and smashed the glass in a window near the curtain. To this I rushed my wife and, by making her stand on a chair and with the aid of the young men, I managed to get her through the broken window to safety."

The Frenzied Panic
"But inside in the theater now, it looked and sounded like a Biblical hell. Men and women were shouting in frenzied panic and rushing aimlessly to and fro in the flame brightened smoke cloud. At the main entrance they were jammed in a hopeless mass of clawing and fighting desperate humanity."

"It was then I just noticed the wonderful work of Cullom and some of the other Yale boys doing rescue work. Neither he nor the others received their injuries trying to get out, but, like poor Keith they were here, there and everywhere, doing everything that a clear, cool head could do."

"Do please believe that Yale is proud of their efforts. Many women and children owe their lives to these boys. While a fitting memorial to the bravery of Allen Keith would be raised at Yale, the acts of his classmates will not be forgotten."

"Before I escaped I saw men and women, careless of what or whom they struck, leap over the rail of the balcony and plunge downward into the squirming, writhing mass of clawing human beings down below them. Women, crazed with terror, struck, clawed, kicked, bit and screamed as they struggled through the mass toward the doors."

"At the foot of the balcony stairs human forms were piled up head high to a tall man, squirming and fighting. It was here most of the injuries to our boys were received."

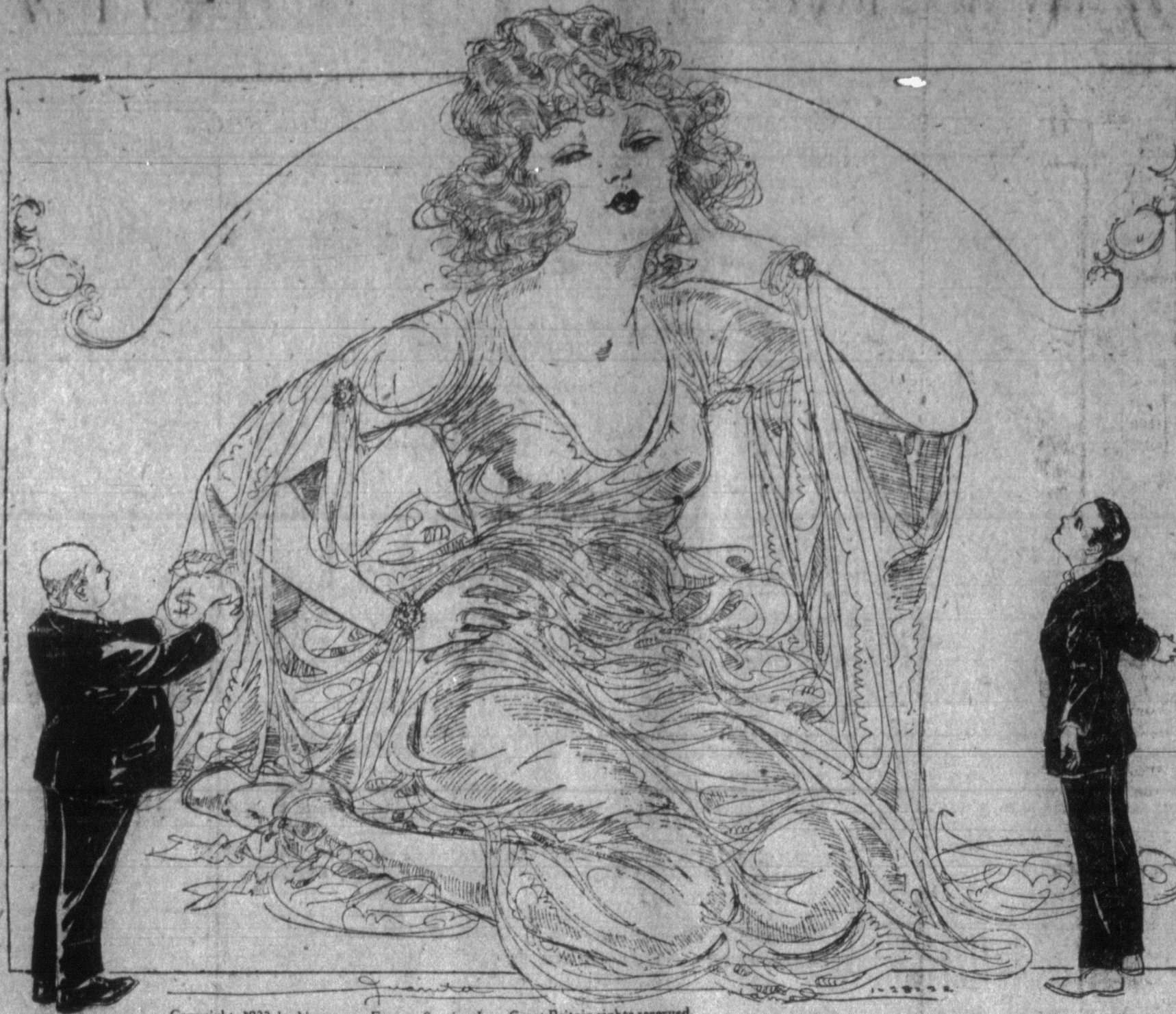
"After we got out my coat was burning, so narrow had been our escape. I looked up and saw flames shoot from the upper windows of the building. At one window a group of young girls were screaming for help. We shouted to them to jump. Instead they rushed back into the smoke and disappeared."

"Outside the building the scenes were dreadful to the extreme. I shall never forget them. Men and women, their clothing burned from their backs, their faces burned and blackened masses of charred raw meat, screaming in their agony."

Ireland's Many Names.
Scots may be surprised, but in the days of Ptolemy Ireland was known as Scotia! In fact Ireland has had a number of names. Diodorus Siculus calls the Ireland Iris, or Irist; in the De Mundo, credited by some scholars to Aristotle, it is called Irenne; in the Argonautica of Orpheus it appears as Irtus; Strabo called it Irtene; Caesar, Tacitus and Ptolemy mentioned it as Hibernia; Mela called it Juverna. The native names in Celtic are Ir, Eri, Erin. Plutarch mentions it under the name of Ogygia.

WHICH?

By Juanita Hamel



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ARE there two sides to the heart of EVERY GIRL? Does one side long for money, position, power, and the other side yearn for love? Or has each girl

to make a definite, deliberate decision for her entire heart—either to forsake love for riches minus love, or refuses riches for LOVE and all love means?

NEWS OF ATHENS AND LIMESTONE COUNTY

W. R. Walker and W. T. Sanders, Jr., have announced the dissolution of their partnership of the general practice of the law. Mr. Walker will continue the practice of law in his office in the Walker building and Mr. Sanders will continue the practice of law at his old office in the Farmers' & Merchants' Bank building.

R. H. Walker spent Friday in Chattanooga. Judge J. E. Horton was a visitor Cullman Tuesday. Fred Gray spent a few hours in Birmingham last Friday. Luther Glaze was a business visitor to Nashville Wednesday. Ed Beasley and John Robert Russell were visitors to Decatur Tuesday. W. T. Sanders, Jr., attended Supreme court in Montgomery this week. Mrs. Sol Arbitt and little daughter, Frances Rose, are visiting relatives in Columbia and Nashville this week.

A large number of Athenians attended the concert given at Albany by the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra Tuesday night.

Mrs. W. T. Yarbrough, Jr., left Sunday for New York to join her husband, who has secured a position there. They will make their home in New York in the future.

W. E. Bowen, representing L. J. Heth Shows, was here Monday and a contract was closed with him by the local Fair Association for his company as an attraction at the Limestone fair this year. He is said to represent one of the best shows on the road.

Dr. R. T. Tyler, pastor of the First Methodist church in Athens has entered earnestly upon his work; every department is fully organized; social, ecclesiastical and missionary committees have been appointed.

A representative party of musicians

went down to Decatur from Athens college to attend the evening concert of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra on January 31.

A delightful meeting of the Study club of Athens was held with Mrs. B. Glasgow at the College on Wednesday afternoon. A beautiful musical program was given by Miss Alecia Waggoner, head of the voice department, with Miss Gane, conservatory director, at the piano. Mrs. W. G. Martin gave a review of "Mary Stuart," by Drinkwater, and the play "Abraham Lincoln," by the same author was ably and interestingly handled by the head of the expression department, Miss Mary Margaret Chester. At the conclusion of the program a delicious salad course was served. A series of programs each Saturday are given at Athens college under the direction of the special department. An unusually delightful one was planned for yesterday.

All over Alabama these days the work of women in club life is extending, which means benefit to the whole people. For where women are organized, there will good civic and community service be done. The president of the body is very much a live wire, and has been an active member in club affairs ever since her school days. The motto of the club is: "Give to the world the best you have and the best will come back to you."

In the town of Athens an election held last week on a \$25,000 bond issue for enlarging the public school resulted in 192 votes for the bonds to 25 against.

C. W. Sarver and Will Hightower were in Birmingham last week on

business. Mr. T. M. Black, who has been very ill for two weeks, is reported better. He has a host of friends who trust that he may soon be able to be at his place of business.

Miss Beth Tyler, the lovely little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Tyler, has been on the sick list the past week. Mrs. William Pitman and little daughter, Jane, have returned to Huntsville after a very pleasant week spent with her sister, Mrs. T. J. Tyler, at the Methodist parsonage in this place. H. LeGrande spent a few days in Birmingham the past week on business. Mr. and Mrs. Giles Reynolds of Pulaski, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Frank Westmoreland for the past few days. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinberg and children are visiting relatives in New York, and while there Joe will keep his eye out for bargains for his customers.

Prof. H. J. Fusch has been a great sufferer the past week with neuritis in his arm.

Dr. B. B. Glasgow has been in south Alabama and Birmingham for the past week.

Mrs. R. W. Rawls left Tuesday night for Memphis, where she goes to visit her sister, Mrs. P. F. Crenshaw. Mrs. Elma Cartwright was the delightful hostess to the Round Dozen club Tuesday afternoon at her home. The many friends of Mrs. Clay I. Hudson will be glad to know that she is able to be out again after three weeks' illness at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Corbitt, on Stainback avenue. Mrs. Hudson and little daughter, Evelyn Estelle, will return to their home in Cullman, Ala., next week. Mr. and Mrs. Gunn of Hartselle, are now making their home in Athens. Mr. Gunn is the new manager of the Calvin Grocery Co. here and he and his charming wife will find a cordial welcome. Capt. Tom Day Sugg of Coldwater, Tenn., the head of the big Sugg land interest at Mooresville, was in town the past week looking after his taxes. He is one of the most progressive men in Lincoln county, Tenn.

The P. S. I. A. met Friday, February 3rd, at 3:30 in Mrs. Jarrell's room. The program given by her pupils was unusually good and entertaining. The room was crowded, even for standing room. The race for the banner was interesting. Mrs. Jarrell's room gained it by two votes over Mrs. Hine's. These meetings are proving of vital importance and interest to the school. The plan of federating with the State Society was discussed favorably.

Judge and Mrs. J. E. Clem have gone to house-keeping in their home on East Lee street, where they are very cozily domiciled.

Style in Writing.

In style, as in other things, it is well always to aim at the combination of as many excellences as possible—opposite excellences, it may be—those other beauties of prose. A busy age will hardly educate its writers in correctness. Let its writers take time to write English more as a learned language; and completing that correction of style which had only gone a certain way in the last century, raise the general level of language towards

Amusements

AT THE PRINCESS MONDAY

"Experience"

The story of "Experience" is the tale of "Youth"—a story as old as yesterday's ten thousand years—as new as tomorrow! "Youth" is happy in the rose-bowered cottage until he meets with "Ambition," who tells him of the city beyond with its wonderful opportunities. So he leaves his mother with "Love" and "Hope" and goes forth to meet "Experience."

In the city "Youth" first encounters "Pleasure." Dazzled by her brilliancy, he asks "Opportunity" to wait before they discuss his work. But "Opportunity" will not wait and goes off. At the Primrose Path, "Pleasure" introduces him to her friends "Beauty," "Wealth," "Fashion," "Intoxication" and "Temptation." All are interested in "Youth" with his enthusiasm, and welcome him to their midst.

At his home, "Youth's" mother has died. "Love," braving a storm, sends him a telegram that is intercepted by "Temptation." Hearing no word from him, "Love" goes to the city where she is directed to the Primrose Path. But "Love" is not allowed to enter the cabaret and so returns to her home. "Youth's" money has fast disappeared. "Chance," waiting for this opportunity, directs him to a gambling house where he can double his money. But luck is not with "Youth" and he leaves the place bankrupt with only the ring which "Love" had given him.

At the House of Last Resort, "Youth" applies for work. A slumming party made up of his former friends come to the tavern. With the exception of "Temptation" all have forgotten him. She slips "Wealth's" wallet into his apron. "Youth" is accused of theft and thrown from the place. Sick and disgusted, "Youth" meets "Vice" and "Habit" who show him how he can forget by means of drugs. His friendship for "Habit" becomes so strong that he consents to go with "Crime" and rob "Wealth's" house. On the way, he hears the singing of a choir in a church. Remembering his mother, he refuses to go and falling on his knees, resolves to return to his home.

With "Experience," he returns to the little town. There "Love" and "Hope" await his coming. "Ambition" again seeks "Youth" who with "Love" at his side starts life anew.

AT THE DELITE MONDAY

"The Golem"

According to tradition, "The Golem" is a good-natured giant who is the slave of man well treated, but who also can become a source of terror and destruction when provoked. According to belief, he is an inert figure of clay which can be brought to life at certain times by means of a formula which is placed in his breast beneath a star which holds the formula in place.

The scenes of "The Golem" are laid

in and about the medieval city of Prague. The Emperor Rudolph decides to exterminate the Jewish Ghetto and he sends his envoy, Sir Florian, to High Rabbi Leew, with the edict. Sir Florian meets and instantly falls in love with Miriam, the Rabbi's daughter. The Rabbi, as well as his apprentice, vehemently protest against the match.

The Rabbi, who has read of an approaching disaster to the Jews in the stars, puts the finishing touches to a clay statue, "The Golem," which he has created and placing a magical formula within a socket on the creature's breast brings it to life. He exhibits the Golem at court and starts to reveal the history of the Jews by evoking a vision of their trials and wanderings. Despite the Rabbi's warning, there is laughter among the spectators, whereupon the walls crumble and fall.

AT THE STAR MONDAY

If you want a glimpse of the younger generation at its play, you can get it in "The Love Charm." Their jazz parties, their moonlight swimming soirees, their daring dress and their amazing talk, all find a vivid record in the picture as a background for the love story of the appealing, old-fashioned, heroine, enacted by Wanda Hawley. Miss Hawley shines, in this place, with the very best of the screen luminaries. She creates two distinct and opposing characterizations—not a double role, however and does them both perfectly.

First, as a sweet, old-fashioned girl of modest demeanor, she wins a young man's love, by reminding him forcibly of the mother he recalled when he was a little boy. Then, when she learns that her aunt and cousin are displeased, she promises to alienate his affections in the same way, by making herself typical of something he hates. She accordingly assumes the role of a noisy, "jazzy" young person, and disgusts the young man terrifically—though not unalterably.

GENEVA BALLOON RACE
WILL START AUGUST 6, 1922

(International News Service)

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The Aero club of Switzerland has decided that the start of the Gordon Bennett balloon race shall take place at Geneva on August 6, 1922, the date previously fixed being thus altered. The organization will be entrusted to the Swiss Aviation club and about a score of balloons are expected to take part, including three Swiss balloons.

The international aviation meeting will be held at Zurich on September 3 or 10, according to the weather. The program will include endurance tests and the meeting will be followed by an international aeronautic exhibition.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday

Parent-Teachers Ass'n of Decatur, 3 P. M. School Building
N. B. Club. Mrs. John McGehee
Woman's Missionary Society, 1st M. E. Church, 3 P. M. Church
Christian Women's Union, 2:30 P. M. Mrs. J. L. Echols

Tuesday

Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club. Mrs. D. G. Perkins

Wednesday

Wednesday Card Club. Mrs. Roger Gardiner
Married Ladies Bridge Club. Mrs. Hardy Burt
Berean Club. Mrs. J. N. Gibson

Thursday

Thursday Club. Mrs. James Johnson
Auction Bridge Club. Mrs. Eugene Morrow
C. D. C. Club. Mrs. D. C. Almon
C. C. Club. Miss Alice Hutton
Benevolent Society Meeting. Morgan County National Bank

Friday

Friday Bridge Club. Mrs. D. G. Perkins
Friday Night Club. Mrs. R. H. Wolcott
Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. Phil Humphrey
Ferry Street Rook Club
Parent-Teachers Association, 3 P. M. Albany High School

Saturday

Saturday Club. Mrs. W. C. Bailey
Junior Music Study Club, 3 P. M. Misses Christine and Louise Almon
Silk Stocking Club.

CANAL STREET ROOK CLUB.

The Canal Street Rook Club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. D. Wyker. Several games of Rook were enjoyed at the home of the hostess when Mrs. Will Wyker and Mrs. Fleming won the club prizes. Later the club members and Mrs. J. H. McMath repaired to the Barbecue Cafe where they were served a delightful barbecue luncheon.

BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. C. T. Happer was hostess to the Bridge club Friday afternoon at her home on Wells street. Mrs. W. C. Bailey was the only guest besides members of the club. Mrs. A. A. Hardage was awarded the club prize for highest score. A delicious salad was served at the conclusion of the afternoon.

FRIDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB.

The members of the Friday Night club were entertained at the Hardage home on Johnston street last week. W. R. Smith was the lucky contestant at the games of bridge and was presented the club prize. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, and Mrs. A. E. Humphrey were visitors.

This club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wolcott on Friday evening.

Miss Louise Connolly, member of the National Society for Better Films, who was in the Twin Cities last week, left Friday for Birmingham and Montgomery.

During her short stay here, Miss Connolly spoke at the Westminster Presbyterian church, the schools in Albany and Decatur, the Kiwanis club and at the home of Dr. Louis A. Neill. Her address at each place was highly interesting.

Miss Connolly was born in Washington City but has lived almost all of her life in New York and New Jersey. She is a college bred woman of rare culture and power.

Misses Maymie Pettus and Aline Adkinson returned to their homes in Pettusville, Ala., after a visit to friends in Albany.

Mrs. Leffard is resting well at the Benevolent hospital after an operation.

Miss Helen Bynum returned to her home in Courtland last week after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. B. P. Wallace.

Mrs. Clifford Meigs, of Courtland, visited Miss Helen Wallace last week.

The N. B. club meetings to have been held Friday night was postponed to Monday night with Mrs. John McGehee as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baird will leave this week for a two weeks' visit to Florida.

Misses Margaret and Virginia Pride who have been the guests of their aunt, Mrs. D. W. Speake, this winter, will leave Monday for their home in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Campbell and little grandson have returned to their home in Birmingham after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. George Jones.

Mrs. M. L. Rogers of Pulaski, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reed Rogers.

Miss Jimmie McCalla, of Montgomery, is the guest of Miss Caroline Speake.

HER PROBLEMS

By Annette Bradshaw



NO REST FOR THE KNITTER

MISS DISCOURAGED—To think that just when I've really learned how to knit, knitted silk blouses like yours have come into fashion with trimmings of crocheted silk—and now I'll have to learn how to crochet!

MRS. WILL THOMPSON HOSTESS

A delightful affair of the past week was the farewell party given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Will Thompson complimentary to Miss Effie Thompson of Kelson, Tenn. Guests were enjoyed. Miss Stella Curl, a lucky contestant, was presented a box of home-made candy.

Several musical selections were rendered during the afternoon by Misses Estelle Johnson and Stella Curl.

The hostess was assisted in serving by her sister, Miss Ruth Sharpe. These enjoying this hospitality were Misses Effie Thompson, Edith Butler, Stella Curl, Irene Moore, Estelle Johnson, Laverne Stroup, Leora Laxton, Ruth Sharpe, Alma Pepper, Vera Motes, Estelle and Lucile Reeves.

The Music Memory Contests among the students of the Albany High School and the Decatur School begin on Monday morning. This plan is national in scope and practically uniform throughout the states that are actively engaged in the work, the individuality and judgment of the local committees being relied on to better meet the local needs.

Mr. McGehee and Mr. Miller are furnishing the machines for these contests, and the records, and the school children in both towns are entering upon the work with enthusiastic interest.

The committees in both towns feel assured of the success of the plan.

ALABAMA FEDERATION NEWS

President—Mrs. Brevard Jones, Cleveland Road, Montgomery.
Editor—Mrs. J. Walter Black, Lebron Avenue, Montgomery.

A Message on Conservation

The Alabama Federation of Women's clubs in New York has a wonderful opportunity to stimulate the development of the state's natural resources. Muscle Shoals is but one of many wonderful opportunities that has waited until this time to develop. In this connection it is hoped that all club women will read carefully the message from the General Federation Chairman of Conservation, Mrs. Francis Edmund Whitley, which follows: "The American people are slowly arousing from vague dreams of inexhaustible riches and boundless resources and are considering what it means that our standing forests, available for lumber, are being cut down more than four times faster than they are replaced; that while we wastefully deplete our supplies of coal and petroleum, we are using only ten per cent of the water power, the 'white fuel,' which might help to bear the burdens of civilization; that with the cost of transportation so high, we are utilizing so small a proportion of our waterways.

With issues such as these before us, issues that concern the very economic foundation of our future, it is not strange that the greatest constructive minds of the land are studying this question and preparing

legislation which shall enforce the conservation of our natural resources too long neglected.

The women of the Federated clubs were among the earliest to put forth organized effort in this field, and should be encouraged to promote with redoubled energy a work so vitally essential.

In carrying this on, club women will employ chiefly two methods: first, securing and enforcing legislation; second, educating the public to appreciate the needs of conservation so that they may support such legislation.

One definite piece of legislation which we are assured that we may justly claim as our own was securing the amendment to the Water Power Act, which makes our National parks temporarily safe from private water-power applications so that future attempts to invade these parks by commercial interests must be made through specific bills, which we must be prepared to meet as they come. We are still called upon to oppose by every possible means the Walsh bill, which is a proposition to dam the Yellowstone Lake, in Yellowstone Park,

turning it into an irrigation reservoir. The women of the clubs are asked to continue their efforts to make our congressmen fully aware that the people of this country desire the complete conservation of these beautiful national parks from any commercial interests that would invade and destroy them.

The women of the Federation are interested, not alone in protecting the wonderful National Parks, but in preserving other tracts scattered all over the country, suitable for street, family, or community parks.

In many states, the women are working for the creation of State Park or Conservation commissions, with the power to acquire and administer such parks.

Letter From Mr. Underwood, Washington, D. C.
Mrs. Joseph Brevard Jones, President A. F. W. C.
My Dear Mrs. Jones:—

I received your telegram today, in reference to Mr. Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals. I am doing all I can to reconcile the differences between Secretary Weeks and Mr. Ford, and am now waiting for the Ford offer to be put in final form to go to Secretary Weeks again and see if I cannot get a favorable recommendation. In any event, the Secretary of War has promised to send the matter to Congress, and although we could move with much more certainty if we had a favorable recommendation, nevertheless we will have our chance before Congress, where it has to come any how, and when it comes before the Senate, you can count on my doing the very best I can to secure a favorable action.

Cordially yours,
(Signed) O. W. UNDERWOOD.

New Chairman of Sixth District.
Mrs. R. C. Conner of Enterprise has been appointed as chairman of the Sixth district to succeed Miss Ellen Hamill whose ill-health caused her resignation. Mrs. Conner is full of enthusiasm for her new duties, and brings to the Federation work long experience in club matters and a wide social vision.

On to Tuscaloosa

Delightful thoughts are now turned toward Tuscaloosa in pleasant anticipation of the good things in store for those who are fortunate enough to be "among those present" when the Convention comes to order on April 15, 1922.

Letter From Representative Ed B. Almon, Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs. Jones:—
I thank you for your telegram advising me of the endorsement of the Ford offer for Muscle Shoals by the Alabama Federation of Women's clubs, and I shall refer it to the committee to which the Ford offer is referred. The Ford offer was unanimously endorsed by the Agricultural Conference which has been in ses-

sion in Washington for the past five days. Secretary Weeks expects to send the Ford contract to Congress early next week with his report, I am feeling hopeful that it will be adopted.

I have been and will continue to go all that I can to bring about the acceptance of Mr. Ford's offer, for I realize that it means much, not only for our section of the country but the entire nation.

Yours very cordially,
(Signed) ED B. ALMON.

Kindergarten
It is of interest to note what prominent men think of the Kindergarten movement.

The White House, Washington

My dear Mr. Gerard:—
Referring to your request for an expression of my views regarding the utility of the kindergarten, I may say that because the kindergarten seems to me an effective means of providing early moral, social and intellectual training, and promoting patriotism, I am hopeful that this educational advantage may be provided for all children of the nation.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WARREN HARDING.

To Mr. Julian M. Gerard, Treasurer National Kindergarten Assn., N. Y.

My dear Major Martin:—
While nearly four million children in America are deprived of kindergarten training, no effort should be spared to have classes opened in our public schools. The people of Pennsylvania, Wisconsin and Kansas have recently expressed themselves emphatically on this subject by enacting laws which provide for kindergartens upon petition of parents.

The movements for more kindergartens recommended by President Harding has my hearty endorsement. It will result in a priceless wealth of character, intelligence and service to the nation.

Very truly,
(Signed) H. M. DAUGHERTY,

Attorney General, Washington, D. C., to Major Bradley Martin, President National Kindergarten Assn., New York.

Dear Sir:—
Those who have a keen sense of the supreme importance of early education are gratified that our President has taken time to send a message on this subject to the people of America.

To see and to meet the needs of the little child is a service the present owes to the future. The kindergarten meets the need—it develops the character which is a vital and growing force, I am glad to add a word in favor of the nation-wide movement inaugurated to extend this means of physical, mental and moral development.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) WM. H. HAYS,
Postmaster General, Washington, D. C.

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The 5-cent loaf of bread in the regular bakery is an impossibility without the bakery losing money, it was declared by Dr. Harry E. Barnard, manager of the American Bakers' Association and the American Baking Institute. A canvass of thirty large bakeries, he said, showed that bread actually cost 7 1/2-18 cents a loaf.

Recent reductions in bread prices by chain stores and department stores were made for advertising purposes, Dr. Barnard said. Smaller concerns doing a strictly baking business could not make such reductions. "With rents," he said, "local transportation and labor still up, the baker cannot deflate war prices with flour alone, without going ruinous, over into the red columns of the ledger. Flour is only 40 per cent of the baker's loaf."

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THE HOME KITCHEN

By JEANNETTE YOUNG NORTON

The Authority on Home Cooking

Here Are Five Delicious New Puddings.

ALMOST everybody prefers a pudding with a good sauce to one without sauce. The texture and quality of the sauce should depend upon the richness and solidity of the pudding. Puddings of the plum, steamed or boiled roly-poly variety, call for a rich, foamy sauce. Small baked puddings or apple dumplings are good with a so-called hard sauce—plenty of it—or the cooked fruit or crushed fresh fruit syrups. Honey or maple syrup with crushed nuts or whipped cream is an emergency sauce. Hot chocolate, caramel and fudge sauces should be attempted only when there is plenty of time to make them properly.

Baked Almond Pudding.
Pour one cupful of hot milk over the crumbs of six stale lady-fingers and eight macaroons; let cool, then add a half-spoonful of salt, a half-cupful each of sugar and blanched, chopped almonds, the yolks of two beaten eggs, and a teaspoonful of vanilla. Beat well, then add the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs. Pour into a soufflé dish, lightly buttered, and set in a pan of water to bake. Serve with sweetened whipped cream.

Orange Batter Pudding.
Beat four eggs into a pint of milk, add a half-cupful of sugar, three tablespoonfuls of flour worked smooth with a little of the milk, and a tablespoonful of orange-flower flavoring. Pour into a well-buttered pudding-mould, and tie down with a cloth. Set into boiling water, and boil for one hour. Unmould on a hot dish and turn over a glass of orange marmalade.

French Roll Pudding.
Butter a medium-sized pudding-dish. Break in pieces enough stale French

Lemon Dumplings.
Free from skin and fibre a quarter-pound of fresh beef suet and chop it fine, add a half-pound of sugar, a half-cupful of chopped citron, raisins and nuts mixed, and turn over a pint of hot milk. Cool, then add the yolks of three eggs beaten into a pint of milk and two teaspoonfuls of vanilla. Beat with a little nutmeg and salt. When done, take from the oven and spread with a layer of quince jelly, beat the egg whites stiff with a little powdered sugar, and spread a meringue over the top. Brown delicately in the oven. This pudding is good hot or cold.

Dainty Swiss Pudding.
Cut out the centre of a fresh round sponge cake, leaving an inch and a half wall. Whip one pint of heavy cream solid, sweeten and flavor it with vanilla, chill, then fill the cake, invert it quickly, and cover with hot chocolate sauce.

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The Ladies Aid of the Westminster Presbyterian Church will meet Monday, February 6, at 2:30 with Mrs. B. Pickens on Johnston street.

OFFICIAL VOTE ON TWO AMENDMENTS

With the exception of only a few scattered votes every precinct in Morgan county returned a majority in favor of the salary poll tax exemption and road amendment, voted on last Monday, according to the official tabulation completed late Friday at the court house.

The vote follows:

Box	For Act	For Act	For Act
Decatur 1	251	4	234 18
Decatur 2	201	6	195 15
Lanes 1	24	11	32 3
Lanes 2	43	2	38 6
Danville	55	7	55 2
Gibson's	4	23	37 8
Falkville	102	47	113 32
Lawrence Cove	13	20	19 15
Apple Grove	12	6	22 1
Valhermosa	56	0	56 0
Somerville 1	96	27	104 15
Somerville 2	16	11	24 3
Hartselle 1	192	72	200 47
Hartselle 2	150	63	170 37
Trinity	50	2	57 2
Priceville	24	8	29 2
Flint	16	13	20 5
Florette	5	26	18 12
Wolf's	26	5	20 6
Shady Grove	85	5	91 1
Eva	46	44	76 13
Ryan's X Roads	29	5	34 5
Albany 1	215	11	210 8
Albany 2	236	34	330 30
Albany 3	115	11	118 8
Albany 4	471	4	461 13
Lacy Springs	45	0	45 2
Lacon	22	11	26 7
Oak Ridge	20	18	34 4
Austinville	128	10	133 6
Gum Pond	11	23	28 7
Totals	2852	526	2062 333

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Daughter of Eccentric Millionaire Married to Young Frenchman



Jacqueline Lebaudy, sixteen-year-old daughter of the late Jacques Lebaudy, self-styled "Emperor of the Sahara," was married in France to Roger Sudreau, son of Henri Sudreau, head of a large French private detective agency. Jacqueline while with her mother on a business trip to Paris, to settle the Lebaudy estate, met young Sudreau.

Shady Sheep.
"I believe I'll go over and examine them sheep of Jule's a little carefuller," said Mr. T. to his wife. He's offered three of 'em for that yellow hater, but knowin' him as I do I aim to be sure 'fore he gets her that their fleece ain't half cotton 'stead of all wool."—Youth's Companion.

Thieves Robbing the Tourist Camp

Frank P. Lide, secretary, states that he is having difficulty keeping the tourist's camp, on Lee street, clear of petit larceny. Mr. Lide said that recently many dozens of the small electric lights used were stolen by a party or parties not yet apprehended. He also stated that those incandescent lights secured in their frames had been removed.

The Red Sea.
The Hebrews called the Red sea the Yan Suph, or sea of weeds of sedge. The Red sea is really red, due to a minute bright red plant, a kind of seaweed so small, that 25,000,000 can live and thrive within a single cubic inch of water.

VISITOR DISCUSSES VISUAL EDUCATION

Miss Louisa Connolly, of Summit, N. J., appeared before the schools of Albany-Decatur at several church meetings, the D. A. R. and Kiwanis on Thursday, discussing exhaustively "Visual Education," better films being the subject. Miss Connolly's visit will bear fruit advantageous to all no doubt. She advocated the attendance of father, mother and children at the picture show, and said if the exhibitor gave a good picture, go to him and tell him so, go to see the good pictures and support it by attending. If the picture is poor, say so to the exhibitor, he will appreciate your opinion and be guided by the public's approval or disapproval. Miss Connolly is charming and forceful speaker, widely traveled and is a member of the national committee on better films.

Good Night Stories

Illustrated by Neva Harrison

A BRAVE LITTLE SOLDIER.

BILLY STICKLEBACK felt very lonely and unhappy. He flipped his pretty little sliver and rested beside a pebble to think, when a sharp voice started him.

"Well, now, Billy, what's the trouble?" asked Hermit Crab, unhappy to see the rag look on Billy Stickleback's funny little face. "Who's hurt your feelings?"

"My wife," replied Billy Stickleback. "I just finished building her a beautiful new house, and—she came along and I show it to you."

"Maybe it doesn't suit her," said Hermit Crab when he saw the queer little nest among the water weeds. It looked more like a bundle of straws and moss tucked down into the sand. "Some house! Who put it up for you?"

"I built it every stick myself," replied Billy Stickleback proudly. "And I carried every bit of moss and grass to this spot in my mouth."

"But how did you get it to stick together?" asked Hermit Crab. "Why, I'd never have sense enough to make a house like that!"

"Well, you see, I put the moss and grass in place, then I pressed it together with my body, using a stick that comes from my skin to make it tight," replied Billy Stickleback.

Hermit Crab peeked into the little doorway up at the top of the bundle nest, and there seated in the center of the little house—were several pretty little eggs, each no larger than a tiny grain of sand. There were a beautiful yellow, and Hermit Crab remarked how lovely they looked among the mosses.

"And Mama Stickleback went away and left them?" he asked.

Billy Stickleback nodded his head sadly.

"Why?" he asked. "She went away and left them alone. You see, I built the nest and she seemed so pleased with it that she swam right in and laid the eggs you see there while I kept watch so no harm could come, by swimming back and forth in front of the door."

"But why didn't you stop her when she came out?" asked Hermit Crab. "That's just why I live alone. You never know what time of day a mate will be into a mate and—"

"She didn't do that!" laughed Billy Stickleback. "Why, Mama Stickleback—"

"What's the trouble?"

was as happy as could be. She didn't come out by the doorway, but out a hole in the other side of the nest and ran away. I'm afraid that old dogfish has caught her. He loves to eat us Sticklebacks. Mama Stickleback is such a frisky little soul she probably did it for a joke, and now—"

"There, there, old fellow," said Hermit Crab, scratching the sand with his claw. "Don't be discouraged. Go out and find her. She's most likely hiding from you. Be the good soldier that I know you to be—why, I've seen most of the battles you've fought, and I know how brave you really are. Be a soldier right now!" And with a shake of his claw Hermit Crab crawled away.

Billy Stickleback did find his mate before dark, and after much coaxing she returned to the little nest and laid more pretty yellow eggs. These Billy Stickleback watched very carefully, swimming back and forth in front of the nest day and night, never being permitted to enter, not even his wife—all he asked of her was to be happy and to play near so he could see that no harm befell her.

And when the gay little baby Sticklebacks hatched out at the end of a month, Billy Stickleback had all he could do to take care of them. But he never complained. Hermit Crab was right, Billy was a brave little soldier.

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More Than Ever Then.
Beware of the man who knows it all, especially if it happens to be your

Banker's Wife, Child, Chauffeur and \$1,000 Gone



Mrs. Aubrey H. Bull and daughter, Ethel Ralph Costa

A nation-wide search has been started by the police of New Jersey and New York for Mrs. Aubrey H. Bull, her daughter, Ethel, and Ralph Costa, a chauffeur, who have disappeared from the home of Mr. Bull at Ridgewood, N. J. On December 31 Mrs. Bull drew \$1,000 from the bank and, together with her daughter, left their home. Costa is the son of a wealthy family at Ridgewood.

Ford Purchases Lincoln Motors

(International News Service)
DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 4.—Henry Ford today purchased the properties of the Lincoln Motors company for \$8,000,000 at a receivers sale. Two other bidders refused to go over this mark. Ford's bid being placed first was accepted. Ford will start production of cars at the Lincoln plant on Monday, it was announced shortly after the sale.

At the same time the Lincoln interests announced a cut in the price of their product ranging from \$800 to \$1,200.

PRAISE EXTENDED FOR SUNDAY DAILY

Rev. A. H. Manly, formerly pastor of the Westside Presbyterian church here, but now retired from active ministry owing to his advanced age, is now living in Asheville, N. C. He has written of his appreciation of getting the "home paper" as he calls The Albany Decatur Daily.

"It is read from start to finish," writes Rev. Manly, "as a letter of general news." He spoke favorably of certain reading matter in the Sunday Daily and added: "There are two Sunday dailies in Asheville, but they don't surpass the Sunday issue of our home paper in make-up and news bearing."

In speaking of messages Mr. and Mrs. Manly wished conveyed to many friends, the letter says: "We don't expect you to give up your work and spend two or three days walking up and down the streets to tell the people how much we think of them, but please say for us to all our good neighbors: 'We will never cease to love them.'"

COTTON MARKET

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New York Market			
Open	High	Low	Close
March	1691	1691	1673 1673
May	1664	1664	1644 1644
New Orleans Market			
Open	High	Low	Close
March	1579	1583	1560 1562
May	1571	1577	1552 1554
N. Y. Spot	1600—20 down.		
N. O. Spot	1575—Unchanged.		

Knoxville Man Betting on Ford

J. P. Mallock, prominent merchant, received yesterday a letter from Oscar Handley, of Knoxville, secretary of Anderson-Dubin Varnell Co., expressing his full belief that Henry Ford will be the winner for Muscle Shoals. Says Mr. Handley: "I was glad to have your letter about the Ford enterprise. It certainly looks good, and I firmly believe that the public is demanding so strongly that Mr. Ford have the Muscle Shoals that he is sure to win."

No Shock Absorber.
Many a man gets a pretty bad fall from being thrown on his own re-

CHAIRMAN THANKS THOSE WHO HELPED

The gratitude of J. W. Clopton, chairman of the campaign in Morgan county for ratification of the good roads bond issue, is contained in the following statement issued Saturday:

As County Chairman of the Good Roads Bond issue, I wish to express my full appreciation of the loyal support of those men and women of Morgan county who so ably assisted putting the issue over and showing such a handsome majority when the voters were counted.

It is indeed gratifying to know that the citizens of Morgan county and Alabama have determined to begin a constructive program for the future and in my opinion this is the first step toward better roads, better schools and better citizenship.

Among those who were especially active in putting over the Road Bond issue and who deserve special mention are the best chairmen and their committees, the League of Women Voters, the Morgan County Farm Bureau, the Labor Unions, the County Board of Education, the Newspapers of the county, the Kiwanis club, the Chamber of Commerce and several other organizations in the county.

Construction will begin in Morgan county immediately and will be pushed as fast as possible; this will not only assure us of good roads throughout the county but it will give employment to large numbers of men who are now unemployed. We have made a progressive step that will be of untold value to us and of which we are proud.

J. W. CLOPTON,
Chairman,
Morgan County Good
Roads Bond Issue.

In Hotel Lobbies

Hotel Hilda
J. P. Gilman, Nashville; Dana Kilcrease, Birmingham; Horace Rainey, Columbia, Tenn.; W. I. Sharp, Columbia, Tenn.; L. Cunningham, Madison; M. D. Ballinger, Cullman; Willie Hardy, Cullman; R. B. Shutelesworth, Nashville; C. G. McAnich, Nashville; Chas. Wolf, Michigan; Louise Cloud, Huntsville; Bertha Smith, Huntsville; J. D. Crow, Rome, Ga.; V. H. Moore, Nashville; M. L. Loker, Atlanta; D. M. Gordon, Birmingham; Dick Kerr, Honolulu; G. R. Shaffer, Montgomery; C. H. Royer, Albany; G. C. Woods, Decatur; M. Schlemmons, New York; R. L. Garrett, Hartselle.

Hotel Lyons
W. C. Edwards, Nashville; A. E. Bird, Memphis; J. Q. Carpenter, Birmingham; C. H. McCuddy, Lexington, Ky.; Thos. M. Barnett and wife, Florence; John J. Neville, South Bend, Ind.; E. W. Bowie, Monroe, N. C.; J. Q. Dillard, Huntsville; S. C. Lumford, Atlanta; D. L. Denmore, Birmingham; C. D. Lyle, Huntsville; Jno. M. Billiet, Tallahoma; L. Bogatsky, Nashville; Annie Sherrill Smith, Mooresville; J. A. Perkins and Son, Memphis; L. L. Vann, Jr., Huntsville; L. A. Carter, Nashville; R. Armstrong, St. Louis, Mo.; H. S. Wald, Duluth, Minn.; J. R. Graham, Huntsville.

Salesman Says Business Better

David L. Demorest, salesman for a Chicago confectionary firm, in Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana, visited the Twin Cities yesterday. He reports that throughout his territory, the wholesale trade on which he calls exclusively, is much more active than his sales are made with much more dispatch, and bid fair to surpass those of this time last year.

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BODY OF SOLDIER IS BROUGHT HOME

The body of Philip M. Berry, Morgan county soldier, who died in France of wounds only five days before the armistice was signed, was brought home Saturday. The body arrived here Saturday morning from New York and was conveyed to the hero's old home, funeral services being held at Friendship church Sunday afternoon. Interment will be made there.

Mr. Berry is survived by two sisters, Mrs. E. W. Taylor and Miss Ella Berry, of Chattanooga; three brothers, Walter and S. E. Berry, of Morgan county, and Thomas J. Berry, who is a member of Company C Eighth Infantry, now stationed at Coblenz, Germany. Mr. Berry was wounded in action during the final American drive and died in an American hospital on November 6, 1918.

Shantung Treaty is Signed at Last

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. — The treaty between Japan and China, providing for the return to China of the former's lease territory in Shantung, was signed by the Chinese and Japanese delegates late today, thereby bringing to end one of the most difficult problems of the far east.

Under the terms of the pact the former German territory of Kia Chow, held by Japan since the Germans were ousted at the beginning of the world war, goes back to China immediately. The Shantung railway, about which there has been the greatest controversy, is to be returned to China, but Japan is to retain a degree of supervision until China has paid an indemnity of approximately \$3,000,000 gold marks.

Testing the Hairdresser's Touch.

In Berlin there is a "school" where it is the aim not merely to teach the students what to do, but to instruct them thoroughly in the best way to do it, and there is a test which they all have to meet before they are judged to be competent hairdressers. This machine is specially designed to test the user's ability to comb hair without pulling or jerking or breaking it. By recording the tension at all times during the combing, it gives a complete indication of the manner in which the wielding of the comb progressed.

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House Where President Monroe Died to be Turned Into Factory



The old house at No. 63 Prince street, New York, where James Monroe, fifth President of the United States and author of the famous Monroe Doctrine, died July 4, 1931, is to be torn down to make way for a modern twelve-story factory.

Historical Articles Will be Shown By Daughters of American Revolution

The Daughters of the American Revolution have begun active work in securing historical articles for the historical exhibit at the coming exposition that is to be held in the Malone show rooms the last ten days of this month.

A committee has been appointed to secure material for the exhibit, Mrs. J. D. Wyker, being chairman, and the other members of the committee being Mrs. J. H. Calvin, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Mrs. R. G. Cortner, Mrs. T. H. Alexander, and Mrs. O. B. Cartwright. Mrs. B. E. Preuit, local Regent of the D. A. R., is also taking an active part in the work.

It is known that this section is rich in articles of the greatest historical value and things that will be of the greatest interest to people attending the exposition.

The D. A. R. organizations of Huntsville and Athens will probably be asked to assist, for those cities are also rich in historical things.

Show cases will be provided for all small articles and the best of care will be taken of everything exhibited. First prize; Mr. Crow, second prize; Mr. Couch, third prize.

torial value should communicate with some member of the committee or call up the Chamber of Commerce of Albany and report the same.

Such articles are wanted as old manuscript, old books, newspapers, records, pictures, samplers, coverlets, furniture, guns, swords, garments, hats, and in fact any article that has a history.

A letter has just been received by the Chamber of Commerce from Mrs. Marie B. Owen, director of the department of Archives and History, of the State of Alabama, saying that she will be pleased to assist in making the historical exhibit one of note and that she may be able to furnish some state exhibits for the occasion. Mrs. Owen will endeavor to attend the exposition or will send a representative if she is unable to come.

PRIZES AWARDED

Cash prizes given by Hardage Brothers to holders of lucky numbers were awarded to: Mr. Feyerabend, first prize; Mr. Crow, second prize; Mr. Couch, third prize.

COMMITTEE WILL CONFER SUNDAY

Dr. H. C. McRae, chairman of the finance committee appointed at the Y. M. C. A. meeting of last Sunday afternoon, for the relief of distress, reports that he has been unable to get a full meeting of his committee, as yet owing to some members being out of town. He stated that without fail, he expected the following members of his committee to meet at the same place and hour as the mass meeting held last Sunday—at the Y. M. C. A. at 3 o'clock, John L. Proctor, J. W. Clopton, T. M. Dix, W. R. McCluskey, Mrs. E. C. Payne, Mrs. A. A. Hardage, and Mrs. Marcia Bulford.

Dr. McRae also stated that he hoped that any and all citizens, especially those representing the Salvation Army, the Red Cross, the Benevolent Society, and all other fraternal and charitable organizations, including the churches of the two towns, would meet with the finance committee at the association building promptly at 3:00 p. m.

Austinville Is Cullman's Victor

The Hanceville High School from Cullman invaded the territory of the local basketball shooters Friday afternoon with disastrous results. Despite handicaps of avoidable and onetime the Austinville boys came through with the long end of a 31-9 score.

The same team again vied in goal posting Saturday morning at 10 o'clock with practically the same result; the result being 32-10 in the second contest. For the winners Compton and Ashlander showed the best form while the whole team of the local school deserves unstinted praise with J. Roper playing the stellar role in the scoring department.

TO COMPILE RECORD

Morgan county registrars will meet at the court house February 27 to March 2 to compile a list of qualified voters of Morgan county.

How Logansport Was Named.

Among the relics preserved at Terre Haute, Ind., is a target rifle that was, it is said, the means of giving Logansport its name. The story is that a number of frontiersmen, being unable otherwise to reach a decision in the matter, decided to shoot at a target to determine what name should prevail. The marksman who proposed Logansport hit the bull's-eye.

Vassar Girl, in Leaf-Gown, Portrays Eve



A reading of Bernard Shaw's "Back to Methuselah" was conducted in New York for benefit of the Vassar College Endowment Fund. Leaf-costumes, as worn by Adam and Eve, were adopted, but with modernizations, as pictured here, by Miss Vida Sutton, as Mother Eve, and Warren Dahler, who played Adam.

2 BALLOTS FAIL TO ELECT POPE

ROME, Italy, Feb. 4.—Two days of balloting by the conclave of cardinals in the vatican has failed to elect a new pope to succeed the late sovereign Pontiff Benedict XV. The fourth ballot, taken late this afternoon, proved fruitless of results.

It was just after 5 o'clock when a puff of black smoke from the chimney of the vatican chapel gave notice to the assembled watchers in the great square of St. Peter's that the cardinals had voted again without reaching a decision.

The next ballot will be taken Sunday morning.

Myers Believes Ball Sap Rising

"I did not get over to the banquet Friday night," said W. M. Myers at his hotel in Decatur, "but I did something better; I sent my money over by Sheriff May. I am sure that the rising sap of spring time will bring all the base ball enthusiasm we need and more. As one of the directors last year, I was for more publicity and, whether I am an official again or not, I am going to advocate larger publicity as to the actual business workings of the great game, and I am sure I will have the majority of the fans back of me."

Evangelist Asks Mercy for Bandit

ATLANTA, Feb. 4.—Billy Sunday, noted evangelist, today intervened for a boy sentenced to hang here March 18. In a letter to Governor Hardwick Sunday pleaded that the executive commute Frank Dupre's sentence to life imprisonment, urging him to take into consideration the youth's age and the fact, testified by Dupre, that he was drunk when he robbed a jewelry store and slew a private detective employed to guard the store.

TEAMS STILL TIED

The last week of the second round in the Y. M. C. A. bowling tournament begins Monday with the Albany and Decatur Business Men still tied for the leadership, the Blacksmiths being the runners up. The two business men's teams have lost five games each. After this week's play the captains will meet to decide on the schedule for the last round.

ODD and INTERESTING FACTS

- The coastline of England is 2300 miles long.
- Thirty-nine minor planets were discovered in 1920.
- Tea is gathered from the plant four times a year.
- The average man can lift one and one-half times his own weight.
- Herring weighing 100 tons come to London, Eng., every day.
- The fandango was derived by the Spaniards from a Moorish dance.
- The dome of the Palace of Justice in Brussels, Belgium, is made of papier mache.
- The gramme of radium, valued at \$100,000, which the women of America presented to Mme. Curie, is in a casket no larger than a thimble. To insure safety this casket is encased in eighty pounds of lead. The whole is in a solid mahogany case that cost \$250.
- Banjoes, which originated in India, came to England from America.
- In point of geographical elevation, Madrid, Spain, is the highest city in Europe.
- Budapest, Hungary, embraces the historic town of Ofen, once a Roman colony.
- The average daily consumption of water in London, Eng., is thirty-five gallons per head of the population.
- During the last 15 years there have been more changes in hat fashions than in any other part of men's attire.
- With wings nearly a foot in width extended, the great atlas moth of India is the largest moth or butterfly in the world.
- Leaves of trees, shrubs, etc., are perhaps the most vital factor in the world of living things, as every element of food, save salt and water, is in some degree contained in them.

DAILY WANT COLUMN

Want Ads 1 cent per word.
No Want Ad taken for less than 25c.
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WANTED—4 homes to sell to local people on monthly payments with cash to start. Homes to insure, to finance your troubles, write your deed, mortgage and contracts. If you have something to sell list it with me. J. A. THORNHILL.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—No. 11 Remington typewriter, with decimal tabulator and 18 carriage, suitable for way-billing or any kind of work, good as new. Bargain. 621 5th Avenue West, Albany, Ala. 15-4t

FOR SALE—Nicely cured and baled hay, 75c per bale. Call phone 381-W Albany. 15-6t

FOR SALE—Collie dog; raised with children; may be seen at Wilson hotel. 2-3t

OR SALE—To highest bidder, on Tuesday, Feb. 14, beautiful country home (old Colonial bungalow), 8 rooms, extra large sleeping porch, all screened, 2 verandas 8x32 feet each, good garage, barn, etc., 15 acres good land; 1-4 mile of Southern railway station, Belle Mina, Ala. Will accept sealed bids up to date of sale. E. C. Steele, 106 1-2 W. Church St., Decatur, Ala. 30-4t

FOR RENT

OR RENT—Four upstairs rooms for housekeeping. Apply to A. H. Garrett, 117 Moulton St., phone Albany 411. 4-1t

OR RENT—Store buildings Bank Street, several locations, also one four room, and one two room, second floor apartment, and several nice offices second floor City National Bank. Call 438. T. M. Dix, office over Decatur Drug Co. 8-3t

OR RENT—10 room house at 504 E. Gordon Drive, suitable for 2 couples, hardwood floors, furnace heat; \$50 per month. 3 room flat at 604 1-2 2nd Ave.; \$20 per month. 2 and 3 room flats at 212 1-2 E. Moulton St., newly papered and painted throughout. L. B. Wyatt & Son. 13-3t

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished downstairs rooms. Call at 1120 3rd Ave. South. 1-1t

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pearl sunburst with diamond in center. Finder return to Mrs. Alexander at Raltrey's store and receive reward. 13-3t

WANTED

STRAIGHT SALARY \$35 per week and expenses to man or woman with rig to introduce Poultry Mixture. Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill. 15-3t

WANTED—To get in touch with two or three good share croppers, one one-third and one one-fourth man. J. E. Dutton, Danville, R. F. D. 1. 13-3t

WANTED—To rent furnished rooms in nice home, equipped for light housekeeping; give references. Write "A", c/o Albany-Decatur Daily. 12-3t

WANTED—To buy, a Jersey cow with calf. Phone Decatur 103. 2-2t

EWING WANTED—Let me make your old things new. And your new things, too. Mrs. R. W. Steelman, 1419 6th Ave. South, Albany. 351-4t

ANTED—Five thousand bushels of Whippoorwill peas. Peels and Sherrill, Hartselle, Ala. 135-1v

ANTED—To sell you a Mascot Range under an absolute guarantee. Carrell Bros., Bank street, Phone 167. 15-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

ANNIE E. McMath, Beauty Culturist. Manicuring, facial and electrical massage, hot oil treatment, shampooing, dyeing, mud pack, singeing, electrical scalp treatment. Residential work a specialty. Phone Decatur 330. 15-6t

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OR EXCHANGE—We have 215 acres, 50 in cultivation and 135 in virgin timber, in Randolph county near Lineville, Ala., to trade for a four or five room cottage in Albany or Decatur. If you can match up something with this, see us at once. L. B. Wyatt & Son. 13-3t

OUNG men, women, over 17, desiring government positions, \$130 per month, write for free list of positions now open. R. Terry (former Civil Service examiner), 18 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 13-4t

DON'T WAIT until Henry Ford gets Muscle Shoals, for then real estate is sure to advance. We have some nice lots on 10th, 11th and 12th avenues West, that we can sell on easy terms—small cash payment and the balance monthly. Resident lots in any part of town. Now is the time to buy a lot and build your home. Buy now while you can get bargain. L. B. Wyatt & Son. 13-3t

HOE REPAIRING—Reduced prices. Half sole and heels, best material, \$1.50; other work at proportionate prices. W. A. Gordon, opposite shoe gate. 13-3t

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of the Eighth Judicial Circuit subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
Robert C. Brinkell.

For Circuit Clerk
I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the Democratic primary election, August, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James L. Draper.)

We are authorized to announce W. R. McCluskey as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. R. McCluskey.)

Avon in the Dark
Owing to the inadequate rates prescribed by the authorities the electric company of Stratford-on-Avon has been allowed to run down so far as the equipment is concerned and it is feared that the plant will go to pieces at any moment and leave the town of Stratford in darkness. As the town is a literary mecca, with colleges in great numbers there, all the time, such an incident might prove to be very inconvenient.

Lost for Him
"Do you remember the night you proposed marriage to me, dear?" asked the sweet young thing. "Very well indeed," replied the cruel man. "Those were two mighty good nights you put out of business,"—Yenkers Statesman.

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GOVERNORS OF TWO STATES TO ATTEND EXHIBITS OF UPPER SHOALS RESOURCES

Executives of Alabama and Tennessee Are Extended Cordial Invitations

INDUSTRIAL CENTER HERE IS PREDICTION

"States Day" Will Be Observed as One of Special Events

Arrangements have been made for States Day at the coming Muscle Shoals and Tennessee Valley Industrial Exposition to be held in the Twin Cities the last ten days of February.

On this day the governors of Alabama and Tennessee and other state officials will be expected, arrangements having been made to have special features on this day and probably a trip down the Tennessee River to Upper Muscle Shoals which is but a few miles below the Twin Cities.

Upper Muscle Shoals has become of the greatest interest since Henry Ford announced that if he is awarded the great project he will build Dam No. 3 at Upper Shoals and will use the power from this dam to run his own industries.

This would place a great industrial center in this vicinity and the site of Dam No. 3 would be reached by spurs from the Southern Railway and the Louisville and Nashville thus giving the district the advantage of two main trunk lines of railway.

Whether the project is awarded to Mr. Ford or not it is known that Dam No. 3 will be constructed along with the other work for it is now recognized that this is to be the great commercial power dam.

A pageant is being prepared for certain days of the exposition and it will probably be presented on the opening day when there will be a parade and special opening exercises.

An exposition hall will probably be provided owing to the fact that there is such a call for space the main building will not apparently accommodate the exhibits.

Practically everything generally shown at the larger expositions of the country will be represented and many new features. A reproduction of Muscle Shoals will be one of the features. Special mineral and crude material exhibits from North Alabama and Southern Tennessee will be shown that manufacturers may be interested in the available materials in this section for manufacturing purposes.

All classes of mercantile exhibits will be represented. Many amusements of a high-class nature will be included.

Letters from all over the country indicate that many states will be represented in attendance. Exhibits from several states will be received.

DEPARTMENT MOVES

The offices of the health department Saturday were moved from the Decatur city hall to the federal building, Bank street.

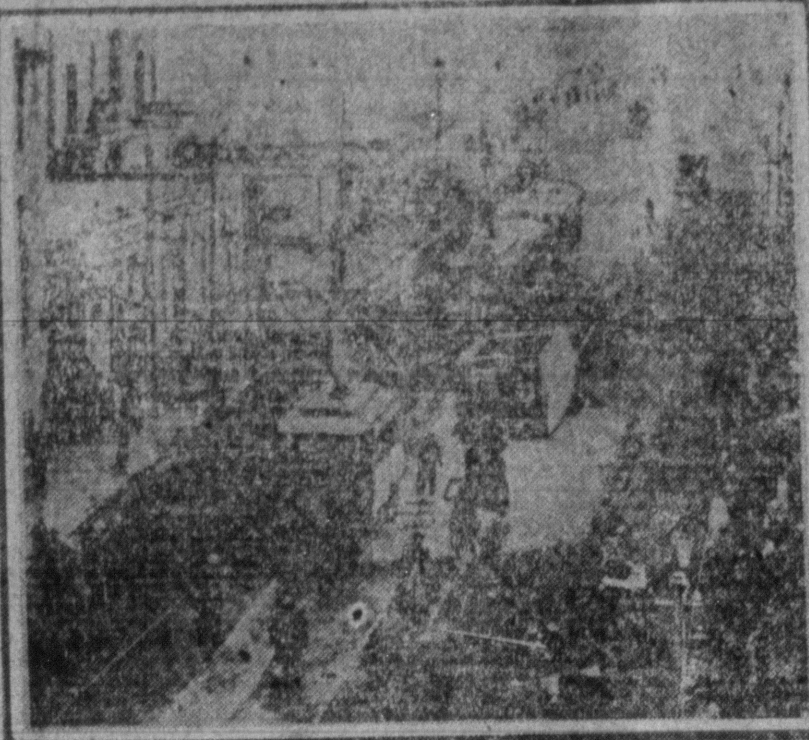
Theocratic Government

Theocracy was the name given to a system of government by ecclesiastical authorities, professedly in the name of and under the direction of heaven itself. The priests claimed to rule under the immediate sovereignty of God, and the revelations announced as coming from the deity were given out as the civil law of the state. The people of ancient Israel were under such a government from the time of the Exodus until the accession of King Saul.

FIRST PICTURES OF RIOTING IN CAIRO



A scene at the railway station at Cairo, after the rioters had set fire to the station and torn up the tracks. British troops had to defend the Egyptian police and firemen, who worked hard against the mob. The rioting, it is said, was caused by Lord Allenby's order, ordering Zaghul Pasha from Cairo.



Overturned trolley cars in the streets of Cairo, caused by the rioters, who were put down with much difficulty by British troops.

CHURCHES

CENTRAL METHODIST

Sunday school as usual, 9:30 a. m. Don't miss this great privilege and opportunity to study the book of books.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, and at 7:30 p. m. by the President, Elder, Rev. W. P. McGlawn. Don't miss these services. Everybody welcome.

J. F. STURDIVANT, Pastor.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

L. F. Goodwin, Pastor.
Bible school at 9:30 a. m.
The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and at the Vesper service at 5 p. m. Members, be loyal. Friends and visitors are welcome.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

J. H. McWhirter, Minister.
We cordially invite the public and friends to take fellowship with us in worship Sunday morning when we will discuss the question of Peter, the prime minister, when he asked Jesus, saying: "Lord, to whom shall we go? Thou hast the words of eternal life." We kindly ask the stranger in the city to visit us. Seven o'clock is the evening hour.

The Pastors Union meets at the Y. M. C. A. building Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. At this time Rev. C. C. Davison will give an address.

CENTRAL BAPTIST

11:00 a. m. "Come Thou With Us."
7:30 p. m. "The Judgment."
Special musical features at both hours.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Room No. 3 at 11 a. m.
Morgan County Bank building.
Subject—"Spirit."

EPISCOPAL

St. Johns Church, Jackson street, Albany.
Church School, 9:45 A. M.
Sermon and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.
Evening Prayer and Sermon, 7:30 P. M. / Rev. T. G. Mundy, Rector.

SALVATION ARMY

Meetings.
Sunday School, 11 A. M.
Salvation meeting, 3 P. M.
Rev. Wallace, of Decatur Presbyterian church will speak.
Salvation meeting, 1:30 P. M.

WESTSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

T. J. Halfacre, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Preaching at 11 A. M. also 7:15 P. M.
The Pastor will preach morning and evening. Regular session meeting at 3:30 P. M.
International Bible Students meet at Hardage Hall
Sunday School, 10 A. M.
Bible Study, 11 A. M.
At 7 P. M. Elder H. C. B. will speak.

PERSONALS

W. H. Clark has returned from Houston, Texas, where he visited his son, Dr. W. A. Clark, a prominent physician of that city.

E. M. Long and family will leave soon for an extended trip to points in Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

Earl Parker, of Massey school at Pulaski, is spending the week-end with his parents here.

Roy Buchanan, who is attending school at the university, accompanied by K. Deittler, of Birmingham, returned home for the week-end.

W. K. McNeill, popular traveling salesman, is spending the week-end with his family here.

William R. Nelson spent Saturday in Birmingham.

W. W. Garnett returned from New York and other Eastern markets on Saturday night.

Alan and Henry Davidson are spending Sunday in Columbia, Tenn.

A. Hamilton left this morning for Memphis, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. Frazier.

William Houston returned Saturday from Moulton where he spent a few days on business.

Will speak using subject, "What is the difference between the great Salvation spoken of in Heb. 2 and 3 and the Common Salvation of Jude 3." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CHURCH OF CHURCH

East Jackson Street.
Bible Study at 9:45. Regular worship and preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by C. H. Woodroof. Morning—"Outward and Inward Man." Evening theme, "Inspiration of the Scriptures."
• Bible Study Wednesday evening at 7:30.
Ladies' Bible class Thursday afternoon at 2:30.
Class in Hebrews Friday evening at 7:30.
Young People's class Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Tanner
Bible Study at 10 A. M. Regular worship and preaching at 11 A. M. by H. L. Kirby.
Preaching at 3 o'clock by C. H. Woodroof.

DECATUR BAPTIST CHURCH

11 A. M.—"No other Gods before me."
7 P. M.—"Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain."
The pastor will exhibit an ikon and a crucifix from Siberia and as used by the Orthodox Greek Church in Russia and a Buddha from a sacred temple of China.
All welcome to worship with us.
C. C. Davison, Pastor.

Local Amateur Wireless Operators Will "Listen In" on the Greatest Concert Ever Given in Whole World

Local amateur wireless operators will have the opportunity on Sunday night to "cut in" on what is believed will be the largest concert in the world.

The monster event will be given at the great Westinghouse broadcasting station outside of New York City, as part of the national observance sponsored this week by the Schubert committee, to celebrate the 125th anniversary of the birth of Franz Schubert, master composer.

Since it will be audible in nearly every section of the United States where either amateurs or professionals have receiving stations, the officials who are arranging for the broadcasting, estimate that the music will be heard by about one million persons, the largest concert audience in the world.

Dicie Howell, lyric soprano and famous concert interpreter of Schubert music, will sing the "Song of Love," made from Schubert's unfinished symphony and part of "Blossom Time," a Broadway piece now running.

A Great Artist.
Sir Henry Layard had a short way with omniscient youths, who asked over Chinook, Ojibwa, Dakota and Volterra. "Do you seriously think," he would ask with his rasping drawl, "that any of them can compare with Mortadella da Bologna?" Some would fall into the trap and discourse on the chiaroscuro of that great artist; others, more honest, would invite scorn by confessing ignorance of his work. It was only when they reached home that they discovered that "mortadella" was a sausage.—Living Age.

HOME-MAKING HELPS

"Everything About the House Helps to Make the Home"
By WANDA BARTON

Some New Coverings for Bedroom Floors.

Bedroom floors are perfectly satisfactory polished and rugged for eight months of the year, but the other four months they are in many instances a problem. A covered floor, even if the covering is not of carpet, is a problem. A covered floor, even if the covering is not of carpet, is a problem. A covered floor, even if the covering is not of carpet, is a problem.

Deep, wide felt is often used as a wide border if there is a large rug to be placed. The felt is fitted and tacked in place, then the rug, when placed, looks as if there were an entire felt carpet under it. For winter warmth line the felt with newspaper and also place a layer of newspaper under the rug. This softens the footfall and protects the rug and also makes the floor warmer.

Rug-rug borders for plain rugs are a fad, and if they are not too beautiful they are rather attractive. Lay a carpeting by the yard wall, make a good frame for the rug, and it is really more easily cared for than a polished floor, which must be brushed and polished continually to keep presentable. Run a strip of canvas or the Venetian awning cloth makes an excellent floor covering if fitted and tightly stretched. The awning cloth comes in many shades of clay-red, rust, or brilliant blue, and is a difficult color to describe.

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Machinery is being installed in the new home of the Home Steam laundry on Moulton street, and the manager, Mr. Matthews, hopes to be ready for business at his new place on or before February 15th. The new building will be up-to-date in every respect for the conduct of a business of this character.

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Federal Exams to
be Held Next Month

Secretary W. G. Gentry, of the local civil service board, at the Albany post-office, believes that his board will hold several examinations in March for positions to which local people should apply.

The subjects, dates of examinations and salaries are announced by Mr. Gentry as follows:

Inspector of Locomotives, March 8 and 9, salary \$3,000 per year.

Inspector of safety appliances and inspector of hours of service, March 22 and 23, \$2,000 per year.

Auditor, income tax unit, March 8, \$1,800 to \$3,000.

Application blanks and full information may be obtained from Secretary Gentry. Besides the above he will also hold examinations for a number of other positions in March.

It Must Be True.

In this age the positive existence of the fourth dimension is no doubt regarded as assured by the fact that you can neither see, hear, feel, taste, smell, or imagine it.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Phones Extended
to Crowton Now

The people in Crowton and surrounding neighborhood now have the benefit of full telephone connections.

According to J. B. Cassels, district manager of the telephone company, he has entered into a contract with J. F. Dillehay, Albany and Crowton merchant, to extend still further the telephone lines in and around Crowton. "At present," said Mr. Cassels, "the Crowton lines will connect direct to Albany, but later it is quite probable we will establish regular switch board service somewhere in the Crowton neighborhood."

HOW TO KEEP STRAIGHT

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 4.—Twenty-three years without missing Sunday school is the record of R. J. Geissler, Gloucester's assistant postmaster. Geissler believes Sunday school is an effective method of keeping men in public office on the straight and narrow path. "There is nothing like a moral safeguard such as Sunday school around you at all times," Geissler declares.

Say It With Dumb-Bells



Co-eds of Northwestern University, famed for its religious principles, are combining morning prayers with exercises. The photograph shows Miss Jean Burns and Miss Ellen Larson murmuring their benediction and going through a dumb-bell exercise.

REMINISCENCES

By J. ADLAI WEST

To those who like a fox race this article may have some appeal. To those who do not enjoy a chase after the elusive Reynard with a pack of Walker dogs, better pass this one up. To the writer there is no more electrifying sport than a fox race staged on a still night with a faithful pack that have made a reputation for "burning up the ground."

There comes to my mind a story as told by the older settlers of Lawrence county about a celebrated deer and fox hound—Pacing Buck. This dog was owned by the grandfather of Isaac Johnson, Jr., who is himself a devotee of the sport and keeps several fine fox hounds that he prizes

very highly.

The story as told is, that during the period of time when deer were plentiful in this country Pacing Buck at all times gave a good account of himself, frequently being gone a whole week after a deer and would suddenly appear at the home of his owner with the ears of a deer securely tied around his neck. It was the custom in those days among hunters that should another deer dog from a different community or county run a deer into that community and catch it, the ears were tied around his neck to indicate to his owner that he had overtaken his game and added to his laurels.

Such a dog was Pacing Buck, a dog that never ran, but paced the entire race, and it is said of him that there was not another dog in the entire country that could keep pace with him.

The story goes that as old age caught him, and when a fox race was staged near his home he frequently joined in the chase and held his own with the best of them of that day.

There are several owners of fine fox hounds now in this county and there is scarcely ever a week that a race is not pulled off, greatly to the enjoyment of those who like the sport. There is always keen rivalry between the different owners of packs of fox hounds as to which can get the most out of a race.

The best race within the memory of the writer happened on Yellow mountain, east of Hartselle, about six months ago. The writer, in company with some other devotees of the sport, went to a point about 15 miles east of Hartselle in the effort to try conclusions with a red fox that was said to inhabit that section. A big rain came up shortly after arriving at our destination and we were forced to take shelter and wait until it ceased.

It rained for two hours. Abandoning that chance for a race as it was so wet, we started back home, and noticed that at a point on our way back there had been scarcely no rain at all. Arriving at a point where we thought we might have a race, we heard one of the pack strike on top of Yellow mountain to our left about half a mile away. It was only a short time until one after another of the pack joined in the chase, and from 10 o'clock that night until 4:30 in the morning there was not over two minutes intermission during the entire time that there was not a thriller going on in plain hearing distance.

The ground over which the race was staged was of the roughest character, it being on a rugged mountain where there was lots of barbed wire fencing. One or more of the dogs receiving tears in the flesh occasioned by coming in contact with the wire. Not a dog quit the race.

Daylight began to dawn, and the fox decided that he would take a retreat, and did so, ending the race.

Everybody has their favorite fox hound. There is Sampson and Glee; Dinah and Jinks; Mack and Sparks; Hindoo and Crickett, all of which are fine dogs and give a good account of

76 VENEREAL CASES
ARE TREATED HERE

Seventy-six venereal cases were treated by the Morgan County Health department during the past month, according to the first official report of venereal treatment, made public by Dr. B. F. Austin Saturday.

The report in full follows:

Summary: Total lecture attendance 1803, defects remedied 196, latrines built 51.

Educational: Total lectures delivered 28, attendance 1803, public 1, school 17, special 10; personal conferences 207, letters sent 119, pamphlets 163, newspaper articles 9, posters 1.

School Work: Schools visited 23, children examined 877, defects remedied 196, latrines built at schools 2.

Soil Pollution Work: Total latrines built 51, town 40, rural 9, school 3.

Quarantine Work: Total cases reported 4, quarantined 3, visited 4, typhoid inoculations 48.

Inspections: Hotels 13, cafes 83, meat markets 45, bakery 1, soda fountains 25, barber shops 20, dairy 9, others 8, total 204.

Miscellaneous: Water examinations 5, miles travelled 678, hours of study 25.

Other activities: Homes visited by nurse 13, inspections, premises 91, county jail 1, county almshouse 1, malaria work: 2760 yards ditching, 30 yards rechanneling. 76 cases venereal disease treated, 17 cases examined and found no venereal, 20 were sent to laboratory.

Report of Epidemiologist: Diseases and number of each reported: Scarlet fever 2, scabies 1, chicken pox 1.

B. F. AUSTIN,
County Health Officer

January 31, 1922.

WIRELESS FOUND AID
IN RECOVERING AUTOS

(International News Service)
DETROIT, Feb. 4.—Following the plan of Chicago, every policeman in Detroit will carry with him a miniature wireless telephone when experiments now being conducted by the signal bureau of the police department are completed.

"We have been unable yet to find a pocket set that would fill requirements and weigh little enough to be carried easily by the individual," declared Inspector W. J. Potts, superintendent of the signal bureau. "But within a few months we expect to develop just what we need."

"I consider wireless the greatest innovation in police work today," declares Police Commissioner Ingles. "Our new wireless enables us to keep in constant touch with cities in a wide zone. This is proving a great factor in locating stolen automobiles."

TEETH KNOCKED OUT:
GROW BACK GOOD AS NEW

(International News Service)
PAWNEE, Neb., Feb. 4.—Teeth knocked from the mouth of Raymond Richards, star of the Pawnee high school basketball team, are growing back.

After a skirmish in a recent game Richards spat three teeth out on the floor of the gymnasium. A dentist rendered first aid, wired the teeth back in place and ordered the star out of the game for the rest of the season.

By the end of two weeks the teeth apparently were as solid as ever, and Richards came back as the best point-maker in the high school league.

themselves whenever a fox decides to turn his heels for a race. If he stays on the ground they will get him, unless he decides to try conclusions in the rocky wilds, where cliffs and rocks abound, precluding the possibility of the best dog making substantial gains on the fox that is a better climber.

REALTY MEN WILL
FORM ORGANIZATION

Realty men of Albany and Decatur will meet Tuesday night at the chamber of commerce to discuss the organization of a realty exchange in the Twin Cities.

With the prospect bright of early development of Muscle Shoals by Henry Ford or some other agency, it is expected that the local real estate market will become very active.

Cullman Sheriff
Gets a Big Check

Morgan county friends of Sheriff J. W. Lambert, of Cullman county, will be interested in announcement that he will be \$500 richer during the next few days as a result of his activities in suppressing violations of the prohibition law in that county. The check will be forwarded as a result of the conviction of 10 persons for violation of the prohibition laws.

CARSON GETS ANNEX

Mr. F. A. Carson, proprietor of the Reeder hotel, leased this week the Reeder Annex, consisting of 35 rooms, which will be connected with the main building by an archway. Mr. Carson plans to equip the annex with new furniture throughout, and will install a modern heating system.

With the addition of the annex the Reeder will now have approximately 100 rooms available for guests. The hotel has been doing a capacity business for some weeks and the additional rooms were much needed.—Florence Herald.

The Hilda, of Decatur, and the Reeder hotel are under the same management, the lessee making arrangement by the above addition to the Reeder to be enabled to take care of the increased business they believe is coming to the district by the Muscle Shoals development.

CITY CUTS POLICE FORCE
TO LIVE WITHIN INCOME

(International News Service)
HAMILTON, Ohio, Feb. 4.—This city, with more than 40,000 inhabitants, faces the proposition of conducting all the activities of the municipality with only a little more than \$90,000. Last year \$340,000 was spent. Under recent laws enacted by the state legislature Ohio cities are required to live strictly within their income, and no deficits in operating expenses are allowed.

The police force, formerly numbering more than 40, has been reduced to 12. Garbage collection, which last year cost the city \$36,000, has been abandoned entirely as a municipal enterprise and is now a matter of contract between the householder and the collector, who makes a weekly charge of 15 cents per residence.

ONIONS FOUND TO KILL
SCENT OF HOME BREW

(International News Service)
BELLARE, Ohio, Feb. 4.—Home brewers are expected to erect a monument to a man whose discovery became public property when police raided his home, confiscating his beer-making apparatus.

The mash was found to contain both onions and sugar.

"Experts" said the onions would kill the odor of alcohol, thus preventing the maker from being "given away."

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\$2.00 Nainsook Teddies for	\$1.00	5 yards 25c Ginghams for	\$1.00
Knitted Teddies, 2 pair for	\$1.00	12 yards yd. wide mestic, 15c quality for	\$1.00
\$3.00 Luncheon Sets for	\$1.00	5 yards 9-4 unbleached sheeting for	\$1.00
\$3.00 Tabel Runners for	\$1.00	Just think 2 5 yards 9-4 Bleached sheeting for	\$1.00
\$2.00 Middy Blouses for	\$1.00	Which equals	\$1.00
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To bestow praise worthily with no thought of
being recompensed, is a happy faculty.

If in speaking the auditor can at once gain the
ear of the listener, one has an attentive audience.

If one is doubtful of those he falls his friends
where is he to go to find some to trust.

The value of strength is not measured by how
often it can be shown, but by how well it can be
controlled.

Will the world ever again get a firm footing
on terra firma and steer clear of the quick sands
that cause all the air castles to topple and fall?

When a law breaker escapes the just penalti-
es of the law, the joke is on the law abiding
citizens.

According to a recent oration delivered by the
American ambassador to Italy, the Italians were
once our allies in a great war.

They just cannot simply get around the Ford
offer; it is too deep, and there is no way around.
The issue must be squarely met, and it now
seems that 90 per cent of the entire people of the
United States are behind the offer also, making
it a most formidable object and one worthy of
every consideration.

They who labor and serve for the cause sake
are entitled to the just and appropriate considera-
tion of every one. Those who thus labor give
more than they ever receive, and take it as their
just part of the plan. To do otherwise would be
putting themselves as following absolutely for the
loaves and fishes, a secondary consideration with
99 per cent of they who thus labor.

If every farm owner would double his stock
of poultry and give it some attention it would
prove a means of revenue that would at all times
be available.

Too little attention is paid to this most im-
portant farm sideline by the majority of those
who reside in the rural districts, it would seem.
There is always a ready market and the supply
has never yet exceeded the demand at prices that
are at all times attractive to those who have the
produce to sell.

The development of the Muscle Shoals is one
of the biggest possibilities that the country has
ever had nearly within its grasp. It means that
this Tennessee Valley would at once begin a pe-
riod of development unheard of. It means that
thousands of idle men would at once be put to
work, and this in itself would be worth while.
It means that great transfer of realty would at once
be effected that is now in a process of lease, and
dollars would be called out to do duty at a time
when it is imperative.

The people have waited patiently; they have
done more; they have brought all the pressure
that is within their power to have this their prop-
erty leased to one who can and will develop it,
a gigantic proposition, that to all intents and pur-
poses as stated by those in power, was nothing but
a junk heap, upon which had been expended use-
less government money. Now, to see this junk
pile at once become resurrected and become a
project that a man who knows the possibility of
it, and is willing to put his millions in it, is one
of the biggest arguments possible for the De-
troit man.

That there has been some sectionalism injected
into the proposition from the start is not with-
out evidence enough to support the assertion, that
it should have appeared, is one of the very least
ideas that should have been advanced why the
issue should have been held up as it is. The peo-
ple have been and are still relying on their repre-
sentatives in congress whom they delegated to
act for them on important issues to carry out
their expressed wishes, and which wishes cannot
be misunderstood in this matter. They are biding
their time, and will expect their interests to be
taken care of; they cannot be there in person.

HOW TO SPELL IT

The dictionaries give "muscel" as a variation
of "mussel," as applied to a certain kind of shell
fish, and that is all there is to this heated con-
trovery. There can be little doubt that the name
was derived from what are better known as mus-
sels. The spelling "muscel" instead of "mussel"
go on maps, into government reports and else-
where at some time in the distant past and is
now accepted as correct. As a matter of fact, it
is correct. (Brother Webster and other eminent
lexicographers can be relied on.—Birmingham
Age-Herald.)

All the pro-mussel forces in the country can
not change the mode of spelling Muscle Shoals,
however correct, historically, they may be. Only
Editor Fennell, of the Guntersville Democrat, we
believe, is still holding out publicly for Muscle
Shoals. However, it is immaterial to The Adver-
tiser. We have already said that we are willing
to leave the spelling of the place to Henry Ford,
our favorite orthographer.—Montgomery Adver-
tiser.

THE FORD OFFER
GETS TO CONGRESS

Henry Ford's proposal to take over Muscle
Shoals got into Congress with a flying start.
The Republicans do not want Ford to have Mus-
cle Shoals; they had no idea of letting him have
it a few weeks ago. But they will have to give it

to him; the farm block in Congress has won Ford's
fight for him.

The Republicans seated Newberry, after a bit-
ter fight. They paid a big price to put in New-
berry over Ford. For one thing, they antagonized
the Middle West farmer. They have got all
the abuse they care to have. They don't want
another storm of abuse beating about their heads.
Secretary Weeks, himself, we may be sure, did
not want to help such an arch enemy of the Re-
publican party as Ford, but he could hardly do
other than to send in the Ford offer with a mes-
sage which can be considered a modified approval
of the contract. Ford accepted the War Depart-
ment's contract. Secretary Weeks inserted two
more or less important changes in the Ford con-
tract, but if he had any idea that they would be
disconcerting to Ford he was quickly undeceived.
Secretary Weeks is correct in urging Congress
to act quickly upon the offer; work should be
started on Muscle Shoals at the earliest moment.

As a matter of fact, work should never have
been stopped by the Government on this great
project. If it had been located in the North or
Middle West work on it would have never stopped.
Muscle Shoals today would be producing nitrates
and a vast supply of waterpower, if Nature had
not put them in what is geographically known as
Alabama.

The Republicans are being forced to accept
the consequences of their own partisan mistake.
Instead of spending a few more million dollars
and giving this great asset to the country, they
arbitrarily shut down all work and discharged all
employees. Nothing that the Wilson administra-
tion did during the war was as extravagant as
this "scrapping" of a great natural resource, be-
cause it was in the South and because Democrats
had been mixed up in it.

The final fight is now on in Congress, with a
word from Secretary Weeks to hurry it up. It
will be complicated somewhat by the Engstrom
offer to take over Muscle Shoals. For we can de-
pend upon it that the Engstrom offer will be
quickly submitted to Congress, too. The second
offer will give the opponents of the Ford offer a
rallying point. They can use it in such a fight
as they make against the Ford proposal. It
would seem that Republicans in Congress from the
Eastern States will fight the Ford offer, while
the Western Republicans will be for it. With the
Democratic members from the South practically
solid for it, the Ford offer should go through, al-
though the fight may be lively.—Montgomery
Advertiser.

A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS FOR
SABBATH AND OTHER DAYS

By J. E. Blair

We thrive according to our relationships. If
they are what they should be, we are in the way of
becoming what we should be. A certain little
school girl in the Twin Cities felt the force of this
important consideration a few weeks ago. She
was told that because of her twin brother's back-
wardness, he would have to be "turned back" in
the book, and removed from his sister's grade.
The little sister hung her head in sadness and
protested: "Then we won't be twins any longer."
The child's quick instincts as to relationship,
taught her something was going wrong. And she
held her relationship to her twin brother as of
greater importance, than personal advancement!
Just opposite to and at the farthest extreme
from the little girl's thought—was the expressed
wish of an ignorant slave who said: "I wish't
everybody was dead, except me and Ole Mosier;
then we would not have anything to do but ride
around and sell land!" Just as far from the noble
thought of the little girl as possible, is the mean
thought of some, who wish to rise on stepping
stones of their dead fellows to what they foolishly
believe are "higher things." Those have their
false idea, of true relationship, who say they hold
themselves above those whom they happen not
to fancy. The little girl of whom I speak, was
exactly like that little girl in Whittier's "In
school days," who told her little lover that she
did not want to go above him in the spelling class
—she feared it would disturb their love-relation.

In a word "he only is good who is good to
others"—who maintains human relations at high
water mark. What are we going to do about this
matter of proper relations? Shall the wisdom of
the little twin school girl, obtain in your life or
shall it not? Was the Master right when He said
that "a little child shall lead them?" He evidently
believe that children are capable of leadership
in the matter of right human relationships. In
this connection is it not right important to stand
in with the children, so as to find out what they
think about those important matters?

We do follow the children along the road way
of truth, but do we follow close enough up, to
catch the inspiration of their lives? "Except ye
become as a little child, ye shall in no wise enter
the kingdom of heaven." If we have lost our
child faith and child love, it is idle to discuss,
whether or not there has been a fall from grace.
If we have fallen, it is conceivable that those chil-
dren in the Bible, grown to manhood and woman-
hood, on whose heads the Master's own hands
once rested, forgot the incident, and disregarded
its true significance. In a word, those Bible
children may have disregarded the fact that
Christ loved them, have we? If there were any
of those favored children who grew up to be so
selfish and hardheaded, that they would have
shrunk from Christ's embrace, it is quite possi-
ble for us in our day and time, to become estranged
from Christ and right human relations. A good
test of our relation to God, is to see if we respond
to Him, if we are on friendly terms with God—
and especially if we are on friendly terms with
His children, whether they be the erring ones, or
those who are living triumphant lives? It was a
shrewd piece of spiritual wisdom to have in-
cluded in at least one church "test" as to whether
the communion should be taken or not; where the
preacher reads: "All those who are in love and
charity with their neighbors, etc." come forward,
etc. If there is no response from the congrega-
tion sings such hymns as "How Firm a Founda-
tion," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and the like,
right spiritual relations have not been set up in
your heart and life. If Christ's gentle voice does
not still the tempests of your soul there is some-
thing wrong. No soul can thrive whose relation-
ship to God is faulty; but all souls do grow where
a sincere right relation exists, between God and
man.

OFFICE CAT

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POME

Little drops of wood alcohol
Little grains of dope,
Cause the natty floral design,
Gone above—we hope.

The oily bird gets into the firm,
A love letter written on the type-
writer may be more legible but it
never disturbs action of the heart.

Heard at the L. and N. Station
Customer—See here, I have been
waiting in front of this window for
five minutes.
Ticket Seller—That's nothing. I've
been behind it for five years.

You have noticed, haven't you, that
when a food product declines in price
it is always something that you don't
like.

Father's Time
We've Mother's Day and Children's
Day,
And Dog Days too,
We've days to loaf and days to work,
And days for herpes, too.

And now a movement is on foot,
(At least the papers say)
To honor the one who pays the bills—
And have a Father's Day.

The idea seems a little late,
But, just the same, it's right;
Should father be consulted, though,
We'll bet he'll take a night.

A man thinks he knows, but a
woman knows better.

Before he became President, Harding
said he was going to let Coolidge
sit in the cabinet. It must have been
a kitchen cabinet he had in mind.

The difference between President
and Vice President is we have no
babies named Calvin Coolidge Smith.

Since mother and daughter have
their hair bobbed, we suppose father
is welcome to all the hair pins in the
house to fix the car.

Defining an Optimist—
"Father, what is an optimist?"
"An optimist, my son, is a fellow
who starts out to play 18 holes of golf
with one ball."

It would be easy to shoot a rocket
to Mars if we could harness the ener-
gy now expended in shooting bull.

A girl, a whirl, because poor Earl
Thought that the way to treat her,
When next she wants to auto ride,
He'll let the taximeter.

Voice—"Is this the weather bureau?"
How about a shower tonight?"
Prophet—"Don't ask me. If you
need one, take one."

The "Distant Husband" and the Bear
The following missive was received
by the forest ranger of the Pasadena
district and read recently at the an-
nual dinner of the Sierra club in Los
Angeles:

Kind and Respected Sir—I see in
the paper that a man named J—
S— was attacked and et up by a
bare whose cubs came up and stopt
him by eatin him up in the mountains
near your town. What I want to know
is did it kill him or was he only part
et up and is he from this place and
all about the bare. I don't know but
what he is a distant husband of mine.

My first husband was of that name
and I supposed he was killed in the
war but the name of the man the bare
et up being same I thought it might
be him after all and I thought to know
if he wan't killed either in the war or
by the bare for I have been married
twice since and their ought to be di-
vorce papers got out by him or me
if the bare did not eat him all up.
If it is him you will know it by hav-
ing six toes on the left foot. He also
sings base and has a spread eagle
tattooed on his front chest and an an-
ker on his right arm, which you will know
himself if the bare did not eat up these
parts of him. If alive don't tell him I
am married to J— W— for he
never liked J—. Maybe you had
better let on as if I am dead but find
out all you can about him without him
knowing anything what it is for. That
is if the bare did not eat him all up.
If it did I don't see you can do any-
thing any you needn't take any trou-
ble. My respects to your family and
please anser back.

P. S.—Was the bare killed. Also
was he married again and did he leave
any property worth me laying claim
to?

The average American may not
know how to act in the presence of
royalty but he doesn't need any coach-
ing when he holds four kings.

It often happens that the fellow of
whom it was predicted he would come
to a bad end detours just before he
comes to it.

Every man has believed, at some
time in his life, that he could get the
right telephone number.

Four babies were born to one Texas
family in 12 months, according to a
newspaper dispatch. Gee whillikins,
but the storks must grow awfully
big down there.

Speaking of Rendering—
Mrs. Hazel Hoskins rendered 18 gal-
lons of lard from the pigs that Hos-
kinses slew last week.—Cross Roads
Trumpet.

Sure! Two can live as cheaply as
one—would like to live.

Why Your Telegram was Delayed
Ellendale, Del.—Love over the wire
resulted in the marriage of Miss Dena
Vancey, telegraph operator at Ellen-
dale, and Edward Rust, operator at
Redden.

The two were miles apart on the
wire, and each, seeking greater pro-
ficiency, practiced sending messages

During all their courtship
sent their messages back and forth
over the wire and many when they
decided to slip to Wilmington to be
married the arrangements were made
by wire.

How It Started
When Eve took off her fig leaf dress
(She little cared, we must confess)
And dived into a cooling stream
(By gum, we'll bet she was a dream!)
Because she wore a no-piece suit
(The kind we now would call a beauty)
Her spouse rebuked her as she swam
(We hear she said, Who cares Adam.)

Delinquent Public Improve-
ment Assessments for Streets,
Walks and Sewers. All property
owners are hereby warned that
payment must be made at once.
List is being made up for adver-
tisement and sale of such prop-
erty.

E. C. PAYNE,
H. HARTUNG,
Clerk. Mayor Advertisement.

DO YOU SUFFER THE
AGONIES OF ASTHMA?

Usually Asthmatic attacks come in the night.
There is a feeling of weight around the chest and
fear of suffocation. Every breathing muscle is in
violent action in the agony of effort to overcome the
smothering. The face is suffused with blood and
expresses the fear of the sufferer.

Persons who suffer from Asthma usually have
what the Chiropractor calls an "Asthmatic hump."
It is a marked prominence of the backbone in the
region between the shoulders and at the base of the
neck. The Chiropractor makes his principal adjust-
ment in this region of the spine. The prospect of re-
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WHEN HEALTH BEGINS, depends on when you
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The Pioneer Life Insurance Company of Mississippi

HOME OFFICE

ing Sunday in Columbia, Tenn.

A. Hamilton left this morning for
Memphis, where he will visit his
daughter, Mrs. Frazier.

William Houston returned Saturday
from Moulton where he spent a few
days on business.

will speak using subject, "What is
the difference between the great Sal-
vation spoken of in Heb. 2 and 3 and
the Common Salvation of Jude 3."

A cordial invitation is extended to
all.

CHURCH OF CHURCH

East Jackson Street.
Bible Study at 9:45. Regular wor-
ship and preaching at 11 A. M. and
7:30 P. M. by C. H. Woodruff. Morn-
ing service "Outward and Inward
Man." Really theme, "Inspiration
of the Scriptures."

• Bible Study Wednesday evening at
7:30.
Ladies' Bible class Thursday after-
noon at 2:30.
Class in Hebrews Friday evening
at 7:30.
Young People's class Sunday af-
ternoon at 2:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Tanner
Bible Study at 10 A. M. Regular
worship and preaching at 11 A. M.
H. L. Kirby.
Preaching at 8 o'clock by C. H.
Woodruff.

DECATUR BAPTIST CHURCH
11 A. M. — "No other Gods before
me."

P. M. — "Thou shalt not take the
name of the Lord thy God in vain."
The pastor will exhibit an ikon and
crucifix from Siharia and as used
the Orthodox Greek Church in
Asia and a Buddha from a sacred
place of China.
I welcome to worship with us.

friends here. He still has some in-
terests here in a business way as well
as old friendships. He will remain
here for several days.

continually to keep pres-entable. Tan crash or canvas or the Venetian
awning cloth makes an excellent floor
covering if fitted and tightly stretched.
The awning cloth covers in a most effec-
tful shade of clay-red, rust or brilliant
serra-cotta—a difficult color to describe.

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Every \$1.00 Paid on Account or Spent Here Gets a Chance
on This Fine Car

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Shirts
Just in
and
They Are
Beautiful

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Worth at Least
Seven Times
as much as any
Other Chance
in Town

PAINS SO BAD WOULD GO TO BED

Two Women Tell How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Stopped Their Suffering

Iron Mountain, Mich.—"I had terrible pains every month and at times had to go to bed on account of them. I saw your advertisement and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with very good results. I can work all day long now at my sick time. You may use these facts as a testimonial and I am recommending the Vegetable Compound to my friends."—Mrs. A. H. GARLAND, 218 E. Brown St., Iron Mountain, Michigan.

Xenia, Ohio.—"Every month I had such pains in my back and lower part of my abdomen that I could not lie quietly in bed. I suffered for about five years that way and I was not regular either. I read an advertisement of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other women, so I decided to try it. It surely has helped me a lot, as I have no pains now and am regular and feeling fine."—Mrs. MARY DALE, Route 7, Xenia, Ohio.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine for women's ailments. It is especially adapted to relieve women. If you suffer as did Mrs. Garland or Mrs. Dale, you should give this well-known medicine a thorough trial.

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411 2nd Ave., Albany

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E. C. PAYNE, Mayor
H. HARTUNG, Clerk

NEWS OF MOULTON AND LAWRENCE COUNTY

MOULTON, Feb. 4.—(Special)—Lawrence county gave her approval to the good roads amendment with a generous majority. Two boxes went against the measure, Pin Hook 16 to 15, and Locust 14 to 4, with a tie at Hatton, 30 to 36. Four boxes were solid for the measure, Hillsboro, Red Bank, Wheeler and Kenlock, each of which is remote from the possible highway that will first be built between Decatur-Moulton-Russellville. All the larger points cast favorable votes for both measures, Moulton 305 to 86. The second amendment won in the county with 1,014 favoring the amendment of the service men from payment of poll and 137 opposing. The people as a whole realize that good roads must come before good schools, churches and progress in general.

At the end of the poll tax session on the evening of February 1, 252 ballots had been paid, totaling \$378; and for 1921 proper, 1,123 persons had paid and received receipts and full citizenship in the county, paying in therefor \$1,689, making a total for the county of \$2,067, more than \$400 above the payments for the year previous. It is said that one man paid in \$21 back taxes. The number of women in the county making payment is small.

Final reports have been made by the teachers of Lawrence county to the Alabama Tuberculosis association on sales of Christmas seals. The total sales in the schools amounted to \$143.28. By special agreement between the association and the state department of education 50 per cent of the seal sales may be used to defray expenses of the health program carried on in the schools of the county.

Lawrence county is one of 10 counties in North Alabama that has elementary school supervisors attending

the supervisor's conference at the state normal school at Florence the latter part of the week just ending. Miss Ora Devers, supervisor of Lawrence county, is in attendance and had a part of the program for Friday. The purpose of the meeting is for the supervisors to compare notes, meet each other and receive encouragement and advice from Miss Cassie R. Spencer, state elementary supervisor, representing the state department. The work done in Lawrence county by a supervisor, now in its second year, is rapidly growing in favor with the patrons and the school authorities of the county.

Walter Stephenson, of the firm of Stephenson and Alexander, is spending a few weeks in Hot Springs, Ark., for his health.

Mrs. Earl M. Hodson has been sick during the week with grippe, but is improving.

Jim Martin, of Landersville, was in Moulton during the week on business.

E. Q. Burch, of Landersville, was in Moulton Thursday.

Several citizens have subscribed to a fund for improving some of the crossings on the Moulton streets and the work has begun.

The Moulton public school association held an interesting meeting Friday afternoon with an unusually good program.

The two literary societies of the county high school are having a series of joint meetings for a month to arouse a greater interest in their work.

WINTON HURT

W. H. Winton is suffering severely from an injury received Friday afternoon, a lower limb being fractured just above the ankle.

MILITONAIRES "NEWBY"

TO PAY \$5 ALIMONY

(International News Service)
CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Tony May, the "millionaire newby," must pay his wife \$500 a month alimony. Notwithstanding Tony's protests that he was "only a poor workman at \$12 a week selling flowers," Judge Hugo Friend ordered this when he granted Mrs. Lauretta May a divorce. Mrs. May charged desertion.

In her bill Mrs. May asserted that her husband was in receipt of a monthly income of over \$400 from his real estate holdings, in addition to the income from several other business enterprises. Tony denied he was wealthy.

NOT REQUIRED

Candidates for probate judge and sheriff of Alabama counties are not required to file declarations with the secretary of state, under the corrupt practice act of Alabama, according to an interpretation received here Saturday.

Advice to Girls

By ANNIE LAURIE

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: There is a young man in this town I like very much. When he comes to see me nearly every night, he seems to like me, and seems impatient to marry me. There is another young man who stays at our house who is very attentive to me, and the other night he took me in his arms and kissed me. He says that the other young man was not in love with me at all. The young man who stays at our place is always asking me to go for a walk, and he says that he thinks I love him both, and I don't know what to do. What shall I do? Which one should I marry? I am now 19.

BEFORE YOU answer me, I would like to tell you a story of a young man who was just like you. He was very handsome and very rich. He was very kind to me, and he was very attentive to me. He was very handsome and very rich. He was very kind to me, and he was very attentive to me. He was very handsome and very rich. He was very kind to me, and he was very attentive to me.

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The Problem Jim Presented to Madge.

MRS. GRAHAM, may I speak to you a minute?"

Jim, framed in the door leading from the farm kitchen to the dining room, was a pathetic figure. His beard was of two or three days' growth, something unusual with Jim, and his usually ruddy cheeks showed an unhealthy pallor. He was many pounds thinner than when I left the farm, and his eyes appeared to have retreated into his head.

"Of course, Jim," I rose from the table where I had been sitting waiting for the minutes to pass until the time agreed upon by Lillian and me for our excursion with Katie.

Dicky and his sister, Mrs. Harrison, had long since departed for the shopping trip to Southampton and the visit to the Bridgehampton beach in order to see the ocean by moonlight. Mrs. Ticer, after helping Katie with the supper dishes, had gone home, and Lillian and I, after seeing Marion and Junior settled for the night, had prepared for the excursion. Mother Graham, having awed her daughter's tempestuous brood into submission and consequent sleep, was positively beaming at her chance to be a god of the machine.

Before I followed Jim from the room I looked at Lillian, who, I knew, had talked with him about supper, and had wrung from him the consent to Katie's going which we needed. She formed the one word "Careful" silently, and I braced myself for something unusual in the interview before me.

"You're not going away?"

Katie was nowhere to be seen when I entered the kitchen, and as Jim placed a chair for me with awkward but genuine courtesy, I realized that he wished to talk with me alone, and that some-thing else, also, that the man was on the verge of a breakdown. His hands were trembling, his breath was quick and uneven, and his usually strong, stolid face was seamed and broken with anguish.

"Mrs. Graham," he began falteringly. "Mrs. Graham," he came to a full stop, and began twisting his cap round and round in his shaking fingers. I guessed that he might have some plausible occupation for those twisting hands.

"Yes, Jim," I said encouragingly, then as he did not speak I leaned forward

and looked at him steadily. "Don't hesitate to tell me your trouble, Jim, and I am sure I can make you see that it isn't half as bad as you think."

"It couldn't be any worse, Mrs. Graham," he said, with quiet, despairing dignity. "I have seen my wife steal out at night after night, when she thought I didn't know it, and once when I followed her I saw her talking to a man. He took her to his little white cottage up to I didn't see what he looked like, but if after I leave he isn't good to Katie, I'll come back and kill him."

"What do you mean?" I gasped.

"You're not going away?"

"She likes him best,"

"There's nothing else for me to do," he said, with a muffled obstinacy that I knew it was useless to combat for the present. "I always made up my mind that when I found my wife liked somebody better than she did me, I'd clear out. I'll own that I didn't do right when I first found this thing out. I handled her pretty rough, Mrs. Graham, and once, I slapped her."

He was evidently determined to reveal the very worst of himself to me, but I was careful to let no hint of disapproval come into my face. He was suffering enough without my adding a feather-weight to his sorrow and remorse.

I only did it to keep her from going out to meet the man again," he went on. "She's only a girl, and awful innocent, like a little kid in lots of ways, Katie is, and I didn't want her to get her name up. So I've kept her in, and waited for you to come home. I know you'll take care of her when I've gone away, and not let her get into any trouble. If after a while you think the fellow's all right, you put anything in her way. She can get a divorce and marry him."

"Jim, you're talking like a man in a delirium," I said. "Katie's just as much in love with you now as she ever was, and that's a good deal. And I'm sure that soon she can explain why she ever that man, and then everything will be all right."

"That's what Mrs. Underwood said—that after a while, Katie would explain a lot of things to me, and she said you and her were going with Katie tonight. But that don't make any difference about my going. I'm sure that Katie hates me now for treating her rough. She hasn't spoken to me since, and I know it's on account of that other man. No, she likes him best, and I'm better off out of the way."

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The Request Jim Made of Madge.

THERE was something so final about Jim's attitude as he sat facing me and told me of his determination to go away and leave Katie to the fate of a good working man. And my address will be Marvin for awhile. I can make good money, I'll winter over, and I'll be home again. I'll think anything strange about my leaving home for awhile. The men mostly have to go to different places. I wouldn't like to have it get around here, either, that I'd left Katie, for—

"Nothing Will Happen."

"You haven't," I interrupted firmly. "I know that as well as you do. I know something else, too, which you will learn, and that is, Katie loves and trusts you. There is no other man. I am sure of it. But I think it is all right for you to go away for awhile, and I will take good care of Katie until you come back again."

He rose, swallowed hard two or three times, and made a queer, awkward bow. "Thank you, ma'am. I know that. Good-by," he said huskily.

I put out my hand, grasping his heartily.

"Good-by, Jim!" The next minute I stood alone in the kitchen, listening to his heavy retreating footsteps, wondering how he would get on, and how right in letting him go with so little protest.

Mother Graham came to the door as I stood there, and gave a melodramatic little "at!" I backed her to enter, advanced to meet her.

"Is he gone?" she whispered.

"Very much so," I returned in a low voice. "I did not know how near Katie might be."

"Katie came down stairs just after Jim called you out here," Mother Graham went on, "and I had Mrs. Underwood take her into the library. She doesn't know you were talking to Jim."

"That is fine, mother. Thank you!" I said, and her withered cheeks glowed with pleasure.

"Isn't it about time you were going?" she asked anxiously, and I consulted my wrist watch.

"Very nearly," I returned. "I'll go to Lillian now."

She plucked me by the sleeve as I passed, and when I looked back at her that her face was pale and worried.

"Don't go into any danger," she faltered. "I couldn't bear it if anything should happen to you, Margaret. I'm sure nothing will happen," I said reassuringly, as I stooped and kissed her with the warm little feeling at my heart which her rare expressions of affection never fail to bring to me.

that I wanted him to stay until I got back. He wouldn't say no, because he thinks it's a good joke, and he likes the idea of working here. And my address will be Marvin for awhile. I can make good money, I'll winter over, and I'll be home again. I'll think anything strange about my leaving home for awhile. The men mostly have to go to different places. I wouldn't like to have it get around here, either, that I'd left Katie, for—

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The Condition in Which Madge Found Katie.

I KNOCKED at the door of the room where, according to Mother Graham, Lillian had taken Katie, and at Lillian's low "Come in," pushed open the door.

Katie was standing by the fireplace shaking as if with an ague, and as I looked at her face I gave a little exclamation of dismay. It was drawn, bloodless, and the girl looked as if she were not able to keep the room which led to find us upon the nerve-racking excursion in front of us.

Lillian hastened to me, and as she did so she walked to a corner of the room. I saw that she had tried and failed to rally the girl's courage, and that if I were not more successful in aiding her the excursion upon which Lillian counted so much would not be undertaken.

And Katie herself, what would be the result of her falling to go out to meet the mysterious man of whom she seemed in such frenzied terror? She had begged me to "save" her, had hinted of terrible reprisals which would be taken should she fail in her apprehension, and yet here she was in a condition that effectively precluded her leaving the house. I did not need the knowledge of a physician or nurse to tell me that she would collapse in a swoon before she had gone many steps from the door.

Madge Reassures Katie.

As I stepped toward her and put my hands firmly on her shoulders I turned my head quickly toward Lillian. "Reassure her," I said softly, and instantly comprehension came. She glanced nervously out of the room, which freed my eyes on Katie's looking steadily at me as I walked into those of an hysterical child.

"Stop this shaking at once, Katie," I said when I saw by her expression that she was listening to me. "There is no reason for it. You are perfectly safe. Nothing can harm you, Mrs. Underwood, and I will be within a few feet of you every minute, tonight, but we can't start with you in this condition."

"I'm afraid of that other man," she said, "I'm afraid of that other man. I feel me so funny in my heart. Sometimes I feel like something terrible is going to happen to me tonight, and I'm going to see, but I can't sleep. Oh, what is going to happen to me tonight?"

She threw her arms about her head with another moaning wail, while I wondered, with an aching little feeling at the thought of the shadow of a nervous departure, had come to her subconscious mind, that I could spend no time upon nervous explanation, no matter how fascinating, so I grasped her twisting hands and forced them down again.

"Let's Go Over it."

"I'll make something happen to you, Katie, that you won't like if you don't stop this foolishness," I said sternly. "You tell me that you want me to save you from something, ask me to go with you tonight, and then not like this. If you don't behave yourself I'm going to look you up for the night, and send Jim to see if he can find the man who is troubling you, whoever he may be."

The threat was effective. She made a palpable and pitiful effort at control, clenched her hands into fists and stood erect, taking deep, gasping breaths. Lillian, coming hastily back, slipped a small glass into my hand with a pungent repressive in it.

"Drink this, Katie, at once," I commanded, and then I drew her for a minute.

"When she obeyed me, I covered her warmly and sat down beside her, holding her hands firmly in mine. "Black coffee," asked Lillian in my ear.

I shook my head. "No more effect than so much water," I returned. "She lives on it. But this is doing the trick. She'll be all right in a few minutes."

"All right now," Katie declared feebly, but the tremor and gaze from her eyes and hands. "I shame myself to say it. But I no make no more trouble. Yet time eat eat?"

"Half after nine."

"She raised herself excitedly on one elbow. "Now we start over as we can," she said. "I no want anybody else get before us. You got dose vot you call dem little sticks with have electric light in end?"

"Flashlights," Lillian responded. "Yes, two of them."

"Dot's good for eat's terrible dark vera we're going. Come on, let's go over it."

E. C. PAYNE, Mayor

H. HARTUNG, Clerk

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THIRTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT

The Tennessee Valley Bank

DECEMBER 31, 1921

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$2,465,425.01	Capital Stock \$1,000,000.00
Demand Loans 183,311.53	Surplus Fund 361,300.00
Bonds and Stocks 158,844.00	Und. Profits and Reserve 41,000.00
Overdrafts 42.36	Bills Payable 50,000.00
Banking Houses (16) 90,500.00	Redeemable 1,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures (16) 36,750.00	Deposits 5,000.00
Real Estate 8,100.00	
Cash and due from Banks 440,923.59	
\$3,383,897.09	\$3,383,897.09

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\$1.50 Heavy Outing Gowns for	\$1.00	Children's \$3.00	for
\$3.00 Crepe Gowns for	\$1.00	6 yards 20c Ginghams for	
\$2.00 Nainsook Teddies for	\$1.00	5 yards 25c Ginghams for	
Knitted Teddies, 2 pair for	\$1.00	12 yards, yd. wide mestic, 15c quality for	
\$3.00 Luncheon Sets for	\$1.00	5 yards 9-4 unbleached sheeting for	
\$3.00 Tabel Runners for	\$1.00	5 yards 9-4 Bleached sheeting for	
\$2.00 Middy Blouses for	\$1.00	10 yds. Cheviot Shirting, 15c quality for	
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Judge Eighth Judicial Circuit
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
Robert C. Brickell.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Robert C. Brickell.)

For Circuit Clerk
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the Democratic primary election, August, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James L. Draper.)

We are authorized to announce W. H. McClusky as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. H. McClusky.)

Avon in the Dark
Owing to the inadequate rates prescribed by the authorities, the electric company of Stratford-on-Avon has been allowed to run down so far as the equipment is concerned and it is feared that the plant will go to pieces at any moment and leave the town of Stratford in darkness. As the town is a literary mecca with tourists in great numbers there, at the time, such an incident might prove to be very inconvenient.

Lost for Him
"Do you remember the night you proposed marriage to me, dear?" asked the sweet young thing. "Very well indeed," replied the cruel man. "Those were two mighty good days you put out of business."—Yonkers Statesman.

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GOVERNORS OF TWO STATES TO ATTEND EXHIBITS OF UPPER SHOALS RESOURCES

Executives of Alabama and Tennessee Are Extended Cordial Invitations

INDUSTRIAL CENTER HERE IS PREDICTION

"States Day" Will be Observed as One of Special Events

Arrangements have been made for "States Day" at the coming Muscle Shoals and Tennessee Valley Industrial Exposition to be held in the town of the latter state the first ten days of February.

On this day the governors of Alabama and Tennessee and other state officials will be expected, arrangements having been made to have special features on this day and probably a trip down the Tennessee River to Upper Muscle Shoals which is but a few miles below the Twin Cities.

Upper Muscle Shoals has become of the greatest interest since Henry Ford announced that if he is awarded the great project he will build Dam No. 3 at Upper Shoals and will use the power from this dam to run his own industries.

This would place a great industrial center in this vicinity and the site of Dam No. 3 would be reached by spurs from the Southern Railway and the Louisville and Nashville thus giving the district the advantage of two main trunk lines of railway.

Whether the project is awarded to Mr. Ford or not it is known that Dam No. 3 will be constructed along with the other work for it is now recognized that this is to be the great commercial power dam.

A program is being prepared for certain days of the exposition and it will probably be presented on the opening day when there will be a parade and special opening exercises.

An exposition hall will probably be provided owing to the fact that there is such a call for space the main building will not apparently accommodate the exhibits.

Practically everything generally shown at the larger expositions of the country will be represented and many new features. A reproduction of Muscle Shoals will be one of the features. Special mineral and crude material exhibits from North Alabama and Southern Tennessee may be shown that manufacturers will be interested in the available materials in this section for manufacturing purposes.

All classes of mercantile exhibits will be represented. Many announcements of a high-class nature will be made.

Letters from all over the country indicate that many states will be represented in attendance. Exhibits from several states will be received.

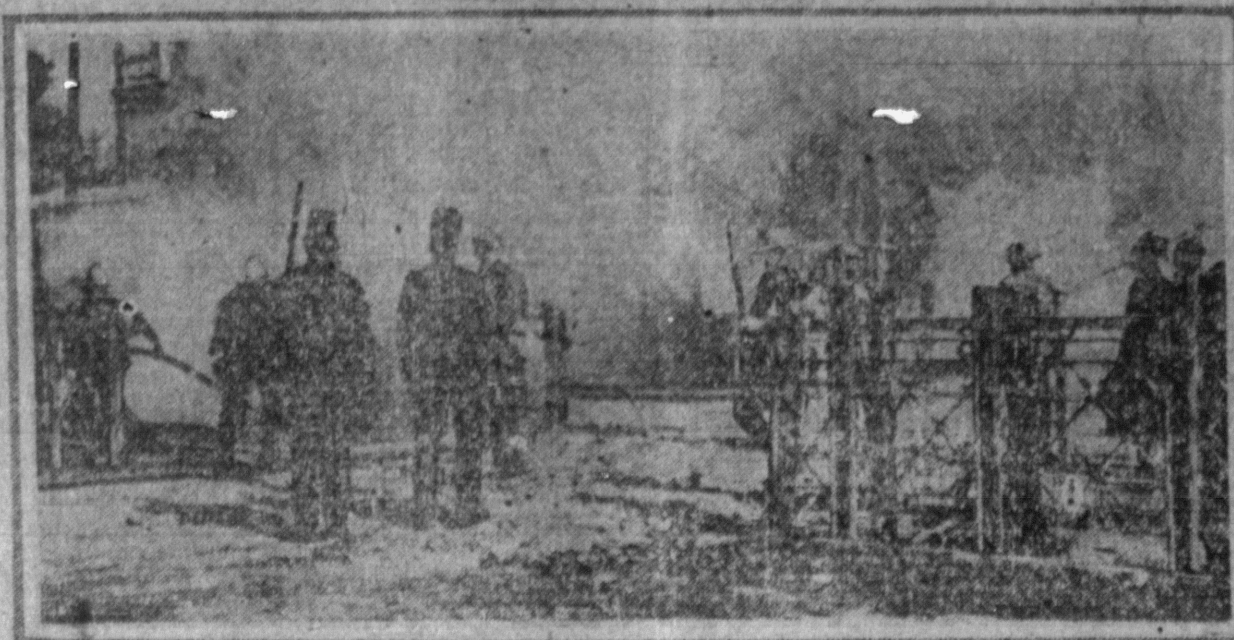
DEPARTMENT MOVES

The offices of the health department Saturday were moved from the Decatur city hall to the federal building, Bank street.

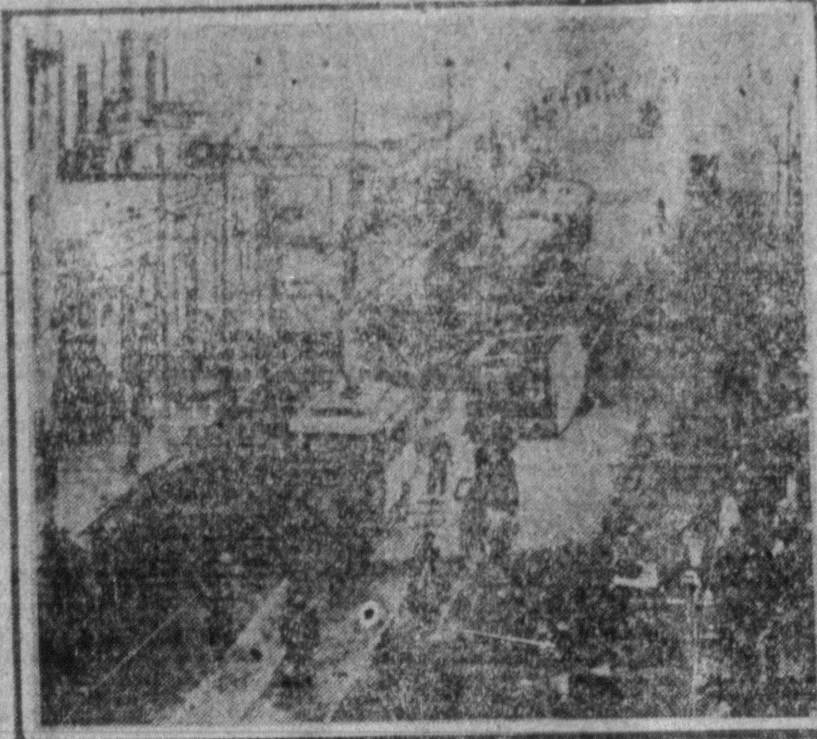
Theocratic Government

Theocracy was the name given to a system of government by ecclesiastical authorities, professedly in the name of and under the direction of heaven itself. The priests claimed to rule under the immediate sovereignty of God, and the revelations announced as coming from the deity were given out as the civil law of the state. The people of ancient Israel were under such a government from the time of the Exodus until the accession of King Saul.

FIRST PICTURES OF RIOTING IN CAIRO



A scene at the railway station at Cairo, after the rioters had set fire to the station and torn up the tracks. British troops had to defend the Egyptian police and firemen, who worked hard against the mob. The rioting, it is said, was caused by Lord Allenby's order expelling Zinghi Pasha from Cairo.



Overturned trolley cars in the streets of Cairo, caused by the rioters, who were put down with much difficulty by British troops.

CHURCHES

CENTRAL METHODIST

Sunday school as usual, 9:30 a. m. Don't miss this great privilege and opportunity to study the book of books.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, and at 7:30 p. m. by the President, Elder, Rev. W. P. McGlawn. Don't miss these services. Everybody welcome.

J. F. STURDIVANT, Pastor.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

L. F. Goodwin, Pastor.
Bible school at 9:30 a. m.
The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and at the Vesper service at 5 p. m. Members, be loyal. Friends and visitors are welcome.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

J. H. McWhirter, Minister.
We cordially invite the public and friends to take fellowship with us in worship Sunday morning when we will discuss the question of Peter, the prime minister, when he asked Jesus, saying: "Lord, to whom shall we go? Thou hast the words of eternal life." We kindly ask the stranger in the city to visit us. Seven o'clock is the evening hour.

The Pastors Union meets at the Y. M. C. A. building Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. At this time Rev. C. C. Davidson will give an address.

CENTRAL BAPTIST

11:00 a. m. "Come Thou With Us."
7:30 p. m. "The Judgment."
Special musical features at both hours.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Room No. 3 at 11 a. m.
Morgan County Bank building.
Subject—"Spirit."

EPISCOPAL

St. Johns Church, Jackson street, Albany.
Church School, 9:45 A. M.
Serman and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.
Evening Prayer and Sermon, 7:30 P. M. / Rev. T. G. Mundy, Rector.

SALVATION ARMY

Meetings.
Sunday School, 11 A. M.
Salvation meeting, 3 P. M.
Rev. Wallace, of Decatur Presbyterian church will speak.
Salvation meeting, 1:30 P. M.

WESTSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

T. J. Halfacre, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Preaching at 11 A. M. also, 7:15 P. M.
The Pastor will preach morning and evening. Regular session meeting at 3:30 P. M.

International Bible Students Meet

at Hardage Hall
Sunday School, 10 A. M.
Bible Study, 11 A. M.
At 7 P. M. Elder H. C. Woodroff

PERSONALS

W. H. Clark has returned from Houston, Texas, where he visited his son, Dr. W. A. Clark, a prominent physician of that city.

E. M. Long and family will leave soon for an extended trip to points in Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

Earl Parker, of Massey school at Pulaski, is spending the week-end with his parents here.

Roy Buchanan, who is attending school at the university, accompanied by K. Deittler, of Birmingham, returned home for the week-end.

W. K. McNeill, popular traveling salesman, is spending the week-end with his family here.

William R. Nelson spent Saturday in Birmingham.

W. W. Garnett returned from New York and other Eastern markets on Saturday night.

Alan and Henry J. Wilson are spending Sunday in Columbia, Tenn.

A. Hamilton left this morning for Memphis, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. Frazier.

William Houston returned Saturday from Moulton where he spent a few days on business.

All speak using subject, "What is the difference between the great Salvation spoken of in Heb. 2 and 3 and the Common Salvation of Jude 3."

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CHURCH OF CHURCH

East Jackson Street.
Bible Study at 9:45. Regular worship and preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by C. H. Woodroff. Morning subject, "Outward and Inward Man." Evening theme, "Inspiration of the Scriptures."
Bible Study Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Ladies' Bible class Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Class in Hebrews Friday evening at 7:30.

Young People's class Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Tanner
Bible Study at 10 A. M. Regular worship and preaching at 11 A. M. by H. L. Kirby.
Preaching at 3 o'clock by C. H. Woodroff.

DECATUR BAPTIST CHURCH

11 A. M.—"No other Gods before me."
7 P. M.—"Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain."
The pastor will exhibit an ikon and a crucifix from Siberia and as used by the Orthodox Greek Church in Russia and a Buddha from a sacred temple of China.
All welcome to worship with us.

Publicity Back of Campaign Put Over Highway Act

Publicity back of the campaign for ratification of the \$25,000,000 good roads bond issue put it over in this state, F. J. Crampton, president of the Alabama Highway Association, declares in a letter to The Daily.

Mr. Crampton writes:
Mr. W. R. Shelton,
Editor The Daily,
Albany, Ala.

Dear Sir:
Voters of Alabama have just taken a wonderful step for the development of their State. At this moment when indications are that the majority in favor of the highway bond amendment is ten to one, or greater than the majority of two years ago I want to tell you of the sincere appreciation of the Association for the good work done by you and other newspapers of the state.

Without the support of the newspapers, the association would have been hindered in its work. Publicity was the effective force back of this campaign. You did your part and more. Only four newspapers in the state were opposed to the amendment. The moment those connected with state campaign headquarters knew they were backed by the newspapers they were positive the bond issue was the proper thing for the state.

You may be assured that the promises made to the people by the association in the campaign will be kept and that "Good Roads in Every County" will be the watchword as the State Highway Department enters upon its enlarged work.

In sincere appreciation of your support, we are,

Cordially yours,
ALABAMA HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT ASSO.
F. J. Crampton, Pres.

JENNINGS HERE

E. P. Jennings of Ocala, Fla., is in the city after an absence of ten years, renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Jennings was for some time postmaster of Albany and has many friends here. He still has some interests here in a business way as well as old friendships. He will remain here for several days.

Local Amateur Wireless Operators Will "Listen In" on the Greatest Concert Ever Given in Whole World

Local amateur wireless operators will have the opportunity on Sunday night to "cut in" on what is believed will be the largest concert in the world.

The monster event will be given at the great Westinghouse broadcasting station outside of New York City, as part of the national observance sponsored this week by the Schubert committee, to celebrate the 125th anniversary of the birth of Franz Schubert, master composer.

Since it will be audible in nearly every section of the United States where either amateurs or professionals have receiving stations, the officials who are arranging for the broadcasting, estimate that the music will be heard by about one million persons, the largest concert audience in the world.

Dicie Howell, lyric soprano and famous concert interpreter of Schubert music, will sing the "Song of Love," made from Schubert's unfinished symphony and part of "Blossom Time," a Broadway piece now running for which Schubert's life and

The Natzy orchestra of the fashionable Biltmore Hotel, directed by music have formed the theme.

Jack Green will play "Tell Me Daisy" by Schubert-Romberg. Barre, selections from "Blossom Time" by the same trio, and other Schubert melodies.

Dorothy Donnelly who wrote the musical drama "Blossom Time" will read a poem on the life of the composer.

Edith Mason, soprano of the Chicago Opera company will sing several unpublished numbers of Franz Schubert.

Officials announce that amateurs should tune up to 360 meters for receiving. The "National Concert" will begin at 8:30 p. m. and will run for an hour.

The following are among the local wireless operators who will listen in: William Hoekensmith, Hoyt Wiggins, Walter and Claude Bethony, J. O. Richardson, Reader McClure, Lucian Mainhard, Paul Mann, Ewell Thompson, L. Hammet and Herbert Ross.

HOME-MAKING HELPS

"Everything About the House Helps to Make the Home"

By WANDA BARTON

Some New Coverings for Bedroom Floors.

BEDROOM floors are perfectly satisfactory polished and rugged for eight months of the year, but the other four months they are in many instances a problem. A covered floor never seems as cold as an uncovered floor, even if the covering is not of carpet. Strange to say, linoleum covering has become quite popular in the last two years. Heretofore, kitchen, bathroom or occasionally a lower part of back hall covering seemed appropriate, so the new use is rather an innovation.

The colorings of linoleums are good, clean, which has much to do with their popularity. For instance, a piece with tan and brown coloring with inconspicuous pattern makes an excellent background for the rugs of solid colors with self-colored borders. Then the draperies follow the rugs in tone. A professional, of course, should lay the linoleum, and it should not be attempted by home talent.

Deep woods felt is often used as a wide border if there is a large center rug to be used. The felt is fitted and tacked in place, then the rug, when placed, looks as if there were an entire felt carpet under it. For winter warmth the felt with newspaper and also place a layer of newspaper under the big rug. This softens the footfall and protects the rug and also makes the floor warmer.

Rug-rug borders for plain rugs are a fad, and if they are not too costly, they are rather attractive. A good carpeting by the yard will make a good frame for the rug, and is easily changed for than a polished floor which must be brushed and polished continually to keep presentable.

Tan crash or canvas or the Venetian covering cloth makes an excellent background for a rug, and is easily changed for than a polished floor which must be brushed and polished continually to keep presentable.

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MACHINERY INSTALLED

Machinery is being installed in the new home of the Home Steam Laundry on Moulton street, and the manager, Mr. Matthews, hopes to be ready for business at his new place on or before February 15th. The new building will be up-to-date in every respect for the conduct of a business of this character.

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Federal Exams to
be Held Next Month

Secretary W. G. Gentry, of the local civil service board, at the Albany post-office, believes that his board will hold several examinations in March for positions to which local people should apply.

The subjects, dates of examinations and salaries are announced by Mr. Gentry as follows:

Inspector of Locomotives, March 8 and 9, salary \$3,000 per year.

Inspector of safety appliances and inspector of hours of service, March 22 and 23, \$2,000 per year.

Auditor, income tax unit, March 8, \$1,800 to \$3,000.

Application blanks and full information may be obtained from Secretary Gentry. Besides the above he will also hold examinations for a number of other positions in March.

It Must Be True.

In this age the positive existence of the fourth dimension is, no doubt, regarded as assured by the fact that you can neither see, hear, feel, taste, smell, or imagine it.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Phones Extended
to Crowton Now

The people in Crowton and surrounding neighborhood now have the benefit of full telephone connections.

According to J. B. Cassels, district manager of the telephone company, he has entered into a contract with J. F. Dillehay, Albany and Crowton merchant, to extend still further the telephone lines in and around Crowton. "At present," said Mr. Cassels, "the Crowton lines will connect direct to Albany, but later it is quite probable we will establish regular switch board service somewhere in the Crowton neighborhood."

HOW TO KEEP STRAIGHT

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 4.—Twenty-three years without missing Sunday school is the record of R. J. Geissler, Gloucester's assistant postmaster. Geissler believes Sunday school is an effective method of keeping men in public office on the straight and narrow path. "There is nothing like a moral safeguard such as Sunday school around you at all times," Geissler declares.

Say It With Dumb-Bells



Coads of Northwestern University, famed for its regious principles, are combining morning prayers with exercises. The photograph shows Miss Jean Burns and Miss Ellen Larson murmuring their benediction and going through a dumb-bell exercise.

REMINISCENCES

By J. ADLAI WEST

To those who like a fox race this article may have some appeal. To those who do not enjoy a chase after the elusive Reynard with a pack of Walker dogs, better pass this one up. To the writer there is no more electrifying sport than a fox race staged on a still night with a faithful pack that have made a reputation for "burning up the ground."

There comes to my mind a story as told by the older settlers of Lawrence county about a celebrated deer and fox hound—Pacing Buck. This dog was owned by the grandfather of Isaac Johnson, Jr., who is himself a devotee of the sport and keeps several fine fox hounds that he prizes

very highly.

The story as told is, that during the period of time when deer were plentiful in this country Pacing Buck at all times gave a good account of himself, frequently being gone a whole week after a deer and would suddenly appear at the home of his owner with the ears of a deer securely tied around his neck. It was the custom in those days among hunters that should another deer dog from a different community or county run a deer into that community and catch it, the ears were tied around his neck to indicate to his owner that he had overtaken his game and added to his laurels.

Such a dog was Pacing Buck, a dog that never ran, but paced the entire race, and it is said of him that there was not another dog in the entire country that could keep pace with him.

The story goes that as old age caught him, and when a fox race was staged near his home he frequently joined in the chase and held his own with the best of them of that day.

There are several owners of fine fox hounds now in this county and there is scarcely ever a week that a race is not pulled off, greatly to the enjoyment of those who like the sport. There is always keen rivalry between the different owners of packs of fox hounds as to which can get the most out of a race.

The best race within the memory of the writer happened on Yellow Mountain, east of Hartselle, about six months ago. The writer, in company with some other devotees of the sport, went to a point about 15 miles east of Hartselle in the effort to try conclusions with a red fox that was said to inhabit that section. A big rain came up shortly after arriving at our destination and we were forced to take shelter and wait until it ceased.

It rained for two hours. Abandoning that chance for a race as it was so wet, we started back home, and noticed that at a point on our way back there had been scarcely no rain at all. Arriving at a point where we thought we might have a race, we heard one of the pack strike on top of Yellow Mountain to our left about half a mile away. It was only a short time until one after another of the pack joined in the chase, and from 10 o'clock that night until 4:30 in the morning there was not over two minutes intermission during the entire time that there was not a thriller going on in plain hearing distance.

The ground over which the race was staged was of the roughest character, it being on a rugged mountain where there was lots of barbed wire fencing. One or more of the dogs receiving tears in the flesh occasioned by coming in contact with the wire. Not a dog quit the race.

Daylight began to dawn, and the fox decided that he would take a retreat, and did so, ending the race.

Everybody has their favorite fox hound. There is Sampson and Glee; Dinah and Jinks; Jack and Sparks; Hindoo and Crickett, all of which are fine dogs and give a good account of

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35c Towels, 6 for	\$1.00	Three Boys' \$1.00 Blouses for	\$2.00	5 pair Men's 25c Socks	\$1.00
\$1.50 Heavy Outing Gowns for	\$1.00	Children's \$3.00 Dresses for	\$1.00	6 Men's Collars, Lion Brand, for	\$1.00
\$3.00 Crepe Gowns for	\$1.00	6 yards 20c Gingham for	\$1.00	3 pair heavy Canvas, leather lined Gloves	\$1.00
\$2.00 Nainsook Teddies for	\$1.00	5 yards 25c Gingham for	\$1.00	Men's Hats for	\$1.00
Knitted Teddies, 2 pair for	\$1.00	12 yards, yd. wide Bleached Domestic, 15c quality for	\$1.00	2 pair Men's leather Gloves with gauntlets for	\$1.00
\$3.00 Luncheon Sets for	\$1.00	5 yards 9-4 unbleached Sheeting for	\$1.40	Men's Caps for	\$1.00
\$3.00 Tassel Runners for	\$1.00	Just think, 28c per yard, for		Men's two piece Underwear, per suit	\$1.00
\$2.00 Middy Blouses for	\$1.00	5 yards 9-4 Bleached Sheeting for	\$1.75	Men's \$1.50 Shirts	\$1.00
\$1.50 Brassiers for	\$1.00	Which equals 35c per yard.		Men's Union made Overalls, per pair	\$1.00
Two Children's Hats for	\$1.00	10 yds. Cheviot Shirt-ing, 15c quality for	\$1.00	One lot of Shoes, \$10 and \$12.50 values, per pair	\$1.00
\$1.50 Petticoats for	\$1.00	\$1.50 Baby Blankets for	\$1.00	Men's \$1.50 Union Suits	\$1.00

These prices cannot be duplicated and will only last for Monday. No approvals, no returns accepted.

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76 VENEREAL CASES
ARE TREATED HERE

Seventy-six venereal cases were treated by the Morgan County Health department during the past month, according to the first official report of venereal treatment, made public by Dr. B. F. Austin Saturday.

The report in full follows:
Summary: Total lecture attendance 1803, defects remedied 196, latrines built 51.

Educational: Total lectures delivered 28, attendance 1803, public 1, school 17, special 10; personal conferences 207, letters sent 119, pamphlets 163, newspaper articles 9, posters 1.

School Work: Schools visited 23, children examined 877, defects remedied 196, latrines built at schools 2.

Soil Pollution Work: Total latrines built 51, town 40, rural 9, school 3.

Quarantine Work: Total cases reported 4, quarantined 3, visited 4, typhoid inoculations 48.

Inspections: Hotels 13, cafes 83, meat markets 45, bakery 1, soda fountains 25, barber shops 20, dairy 9, others 8, total 204.

Miscellaneous: Water examinations 5, miles travelled 678, hours of study 25.

Other activities: Homes visited by nurse 13, inspections, premises 91, county jail 1, county alms house 1, malaria work: 2760 yards ditching, 30 yards rechanneling. 76 cases venereal disease treated, 17 cases examined and found no venereal, 26 were sent to laboratory.

Report of Epidemiologist: Diseases and number of each reported: Scarlet fever 2, scabies 1, chicken pox 1.

B. F. AUSTIN,
County Health Officer
January 31, 1922.

WIRELESS FOUND AID
IN RECOVERING AUTOS

(International News Service)
DETROIT, Feb. 4.—Following the plan of Chicago, every policeman in Detroit will carry with him a miniature wireless telephone when experiments now being conducted by the signal bureau of the police department are completed.

"We have been unable yet to find a pocket set that would fit requirements and weigh little enough to be carried easily by the individual," declared Inspector W. J. Potts, superintendent of the signal bureau. "But within a few months we expect to develop just what we need."

"I consider wireless the greatest innovation in police work today," declares Police Commissioner Inghes. "Our new wireless enables us to keep in constant touch with cities in a wide zone. This is proving a great factor in locating stolen automobiles."

TEETH KNOCKED OUT:
GROW BACK GOOD AS NEW

(International News Service)
PAWNEE, Neb., Feb. 4.—Teeth knocked from the mouth of Raymond Richards, star of the Pawnee high school basketball team, are growing back.

After a skirmish in a recent game Richards spat three teeth out on the floor of the gymnasium. A dentist rendered first aid, wired the teeth back in place and ordered the star out of the game for the rest of the season.

By the end of two weeks the teeth apparently were as solid as ever, and Richards came back as the best point-maker in the high school league.

themselves whenever a fox decides to turn his heels for a race. If he stays on the ground they will get him, unless he decides to try conclusions in the rocky wilds, where cliffs and rocks abound, precluding the possibility of the best dog making substantial gains on the fox that is a better climber.

REALTY MEN WILL
FORM ORGANIZATION

Realty men of Albany and Decatur will meet Tuesday night at the chamber of commerce to discuss the organization of a realty exchange in the Twin Cities.

With the prospect bright of early development of Muscle Shoals by Henry Ford or some other agency, it is expected that the local real estate market will become very active.

Cullman Sheriff
Gets a Big Check

Morgan county friends of Sheriff J. W. Lambert, of Cullman county, will be interested in announcement that he will be \$500 richer during the next few days as a result of his activities in suppressing violations of the prohibition law in that county. The check will be forwarded as a result of the conviction of 10 persons for violation of the prohibition laws.

CARSON GETS ANNEX

Mr. F. A. Carson, proprietor of the Reeder hotel, leased this week the Reeder Annex, consisting of 35 rooms, which will be connected with the main building by an archway. Mr. Carson plans to equip the annex with new furniture throughout, and will install a modern heating system.

With the addition of the annex the Reeder will now have approximately 100 rooms available for guests. The hotel has been doing a capacity business for some weeks and the additional rooms were much needed.—Florence Herald.

The Hilda, of Decatur, and the Reeder hotel are under the same management, the lessee making arrangement by the above addition to the Reeder to be enabled to take care of the increased business they believe is coming to the district by the Muscle Shoals development.

CITY CUTS POLICE FORCE
TO LIVE WITHIN INCOME

(International News Service)
HAMILTON, Ohio, Feb. 4.—This city, with more than 40,000 inhabitants, faces the proposition of conducting all the activities of the municipality with only a little more than \$90,000. Last year \$340,000 was spent. Under recent laws enacted by the state legislature Ohio cities are required to live strictly within their income, and no deficits in operating expenses are allowed.

The police force, formerly numbering more than 40, has been reduced to 12.

Garbage collection, which last year cost the city \$36,000, has been abandoned entirely as a municipal enterprise and is now a matter of contract between the householder and the collector, who makes a weekly charge of 15 cents per residence.

ONIONS FOUND TO KILL
SCENT OF HOME BREW

(International News Service)
BELLAIRE, Ohio, Feb. 4.—Home brewers are expected to erect a monument to a man whose discovery became public property when police raided his home, confiscating his beer-making apparatus.

The mash was found to contain both onions and sugar.

"Experts" said the onions would kill the odor of alcohol, thus preventing the maker from being "given away."

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To bestow praise worthily with no thought of
being recompensed, is a happy faculty.

If in speaking the auditor can at once gain the
ear of the listener, one has an attentive audience.

If one is doubtful of those he calls his friends
where is he to go to find some to trust.

The value of strength is not measured by how
often it can be shown, but by how well it can be
controlled.

Will the world ever again get a firm footing
on terra firma and steer clear of the quick sands
that cause all the air castles to topple and fall?

When a law breaker escapes the just penal-
ties of the law, the joke is on the law abiding
citizens.

According to a recent oration delivered by the
American ambassador to Italy, the Italians were
once our allies in a great war.

They just cannot simply get around the Ford
offer; it is too deep, and there is no way around.
The issue must be squarely met, and it now
seems that 90 per cent of the entire people of the
United States are behind the offer also, making
it a most formidable object and one worthy of
every consideration.

They who labor and serve for the cause sake
are entitled to the just and appropriate considera-
tion of every one. Those who thus labor give
more than they ever receive, and take it as their
just part of the plan. To do otherwise would be
putting themselves as following absolutely for the
loaves and fishes, a secondary consideration with
99 per cent of they who thus labor.

If every farm owner would double his stock
of poultry and give it some attention it would
prove a means of revenue that would at all times
be available.

Too little attention is paid to this most im-
portant farm sideline by the majority of those
who reside in the rural districts, it would seem.
There is always a ready market and the supply
has never yet exceeded the demand at prices that
are at all times attractive to those who have the
produce to sell.

The development of the Muscle Shoals is one
of the biggest possibilities that the country has
ever had nearly within its grasp. It means that
this Tennessee Valley would at once begin a pe-
riod of development unheard of. It means that
thousands of idle men would at once be put to
work, and this in itself would be worth while.
It means that great transfer of realty would at once
be effected that is now in a process of lease, and
dollars would be called out to do duty at a time
when it is imperative.

The people have waited patiently; they have
done more; they have brought all the pressure
that is within their power to have this their prop-
erty leased to one who can and will develop it, a
gigantic proposition, that to all intents and pur-
poses as stated by those in power, was nothing but
a junk heap, upon which had been expended use-
less government money. Now, to see this junk
pile at once become resurrected and become a
project that a man who knows the possibility of
it, and is willing to put his millions in it, is one
of the biggest arguments possible for the De-
troit man.

That there has been some sectionalism injected
into the proposition from the start is not with-
out evidence enough to support the assertion, that
it should have appeared, is one of the very least
ideas that should have been advanced why the
issue should have been held up as it is. The peo-
ple have been and are still relying on their repre-
sentatives in congress whom they delegated to
act for them on important issues to carry out
their expressed wishes, and which wishes cannot
be misunderstood in this matter. They are biding
their time, and will expect their interests to be
taken care of; they cannot be there in person.

HOW TO SPELL IT

The dictionaries give "muscel" as a variation
of "mussel," as applied to a certain kind of shell
fish, and that is all there is to this heated contro-
versy. There can be little doubt that the name
was derived from what are better known as mus-
sels. The spelling "muscel" instead of "mussel"
go on maps, into government reports and else-
where at some time in the distant past and is
now accepted as correct. As a matter of fact, it
is correct, if Brother Webster and other eminent
lexicographers can be relied on.—Birmingham
Age-Herald.

All the pro-mussel forces in the country can
not change the mode of spelling Muscle Shoals,
however correct, historically, they may be. Only
Editor Fennell, of the Guntersville Democrat, we
believe, is still holding out publicly for Muscle
Shoals. However, it is immaterial to The Adver-
tiser. We have already said that we are willing
to leave the spelling of the place to Henry Ford,
our favorite orthographer.—Montgomery Adver-
tiser.

THE FORD OFFER
GETS TO CONGRESS

Henry Ford's proposal to take over Muscle
Shoals got into Congress with a flying start.
The Republicans do not want Ford to have Mus-
cle Shoals; they had no idea of letting him have
it a few weeks ago. But they will have to give it

to him; the farm block in Congress has won Ford's
fight for him.

The Republicans seated Newberry, after a bit-
ter fight. They paid a big price to put in New-
berry over Ford. For one thing, they antagon-
ized the Middle West farmer. They have got all
the abuse they care to have. They don't want
another storm of abuse beating about their heads.
Secretary Weeks, himself, we may be sure, did
not want to help such an arch enemy of the Re-
publican party as Ford, but he could hardly do
other than to send in the Ford offer with a mes-
sage which can be considered a modified approval
of the contract. Ford accepted the War Depart-
ment's contract. Secretary Weeks inserted two
more or less important changes in the Ford con-
tract, but if he had any idea that they would be
disconcerting to Ford he was quickly undeceived.
Secretary Weeks is correct in urging Congress
to act quickly upon the offer; work should be
started on Muscle Shoals at the earliest moment.

As a matter of fact, work should never have
been stopped by the Government on this great
project. If it had been located in the North or
Middle West work on it would have never stopped.
Muscle Shoals today would be producing nitrates
and a vast supply of waterpower, if Nature had
not put them in what is geographically known as
Alabama.

The Republicans are being forced to accept
the consequences of their own partisan mistake.
Instead of spending a few more million dollars
and giving this great asset to the country, they
arbitrarily shut down all work and discharged all
employees. Nothing that the Wilson administra-
tion did during the war was as extravagant as
this "scrapping" of a great natural resource, be-
cause it was in the South and because Democrats
had been mixed up in it.

The final fight is now on in Congress, with a
word from Secretary Weeks to hurry it up. It
will be complicated somewhat by the Engstrom
offer to take over Muscle Shoals. For we can de-
pend upon it that the Engstrom offer will be
quickly submitted to Congress, too. The second
offer will give the opponents of the Ford offer a
rallying point. They can use it in such a fight
as they make against the Ford proposal. It
would seem that Republicans in Congress from the
Eastern States will fight the Ford offer, while
the Western Republicans will be for it. With the
Democratic members from the South practically
solid for it, the Ford offer should go through, al-
though the fight may be lively.—Montgomery
Advertiser.

A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS FOR
SABBATH AND OTHER DAYS

By J. E. Blair

We thrive according to our relationships. If
they are what they should be, we are in the way of
becoming what we should be. A certain little
school girl in the Twin Cities felt the force of this
important consideration a few weeks ago. She
was told that because of her twin brother's back-
wardness, he would have to be "turned back" in
the book, and removed from his sister's grade.
The little sister hung her head in sadness and
protested: "Then we won't be twins any longer."
The child's quick instincts as to relationship,
taught her something was going wrong. And she
held her relationship to her twin brother as of
greater importance, than personal advancement!
Just opposite to and at the farthest extreme
from the little girl's thought—was the expressed
wish of an ignorant slave who said: "I wish't
everybody was dead, except me and Ole Master;
then we would not have anything to do but ride
around and sell land!" Just as far from the noble
thought of the little girl as possible, is the mean
thought of some, who wish to rise on stepping
stones of their dead fellows to what they foolishly
believe are "higher things." Those have their
false idea, of true relationship, who say they hold
themselves above those whom they happen not
to fancy. The little girl of whom I speak, was
exactly like that little girl in Whittier's "In
school days," who told her little lover that she
did not want to go above him in the spelling class
—she feared it would disturb their love-relationship.

In a word "he only is good who is good to
others"—who maintains human relations at high
water mark. What are we going to do about this
matter of proper relations? Shall the wisdom of
the little twin school girl, obtain in your life or
shall it not? Was the Master right when He said
that "a little child shall lead them?" He evidently
believe that children are capable of leadership
in the matter of right human relationships. In
this connection it is not right important to stand
in with the children, so as to find out what they
think about those important matters?

We do follow the children along the road way
of truth, but do we follow close enough up, to
catch the inspiration of their lives? "Except ye
become as a little child, ye shall in no wise enter
the kingdom of heaven." If we have lost our
child faith and child love, it is idle, to discuss,
whether or not there has been a fall from grace.
If we have fallen, it is conceivable that those chil-
dren in the Bible, grown to manhood and woman-
hood, on whose heads the Master's own hands
once rested, forgot the incident, and disregarded
its true significance. In a word, those Bible
children may have disregarded the fact that
Christ loved them, have we? If there were any
of those favored children who grew up to be so
godly and hardheaded, that they would have
shrunk from Christ's embrace, it is quite possi-
ble for us in our day and time, to become estranged
from Christ and right human relations. A good
test of our relation to God, is to see if we respond
to Him, if we are on friendly terms with God—
and especially if we are on friendly terms with
His children, whether they be the erring ones, or
those who are living triumphant lives? It was a
shrewd piece of spiritual wisdom to have in-
cluded in at least one church "test" as to whether
the communion should be taken or not, where the
preacher reads: "All those who are in love and
charity with their neighbors, etc." come forward,
etc. If there is no response when the congrega-
tion sings such hymns as "How Firm a Founda-
tion," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and the like,
right spiritual relations have not been set up in
your heart and life. If Christ's gentle voice does
not still the tempests of your soul there is some-
thing wrong. No soul can thrive whose relation-
ship to God is faulty; but all souls do grow where
a sincere right relation exists, between God and
man.

OFFICE CAT

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POPE

Little drops of wood alcohol
Little grains of dope,
Cause the natty floral design,
Gone above—we hope.

The oily bird gets into the firm.
A love letter written on the type-
writer may be more legible but it
never disturbs action of the heart.

Heard at the L. and N. Station
Customer—See here, I have been
waiting in front of this window for
five minutes.

Ticket Seller—That's nothing. I've
been behind it for five years.

You have noticed, haven't you, that
when a food product declines in price
it is always something that you don't
like.

Father's Time
We've Mother's Day and Children's
Day.

And Dog Days too,
We've days to loaf and days to work,
And days for heroes, too.

And now a movement is on foot,
(At least the papers say)
To honor the one who pays the bills—
And have a Father's Day.

The idea seems a little late,
But, just the same, it's right;
Should father be consulted, though,
We'll bet he'll take a night.

A man thinks he knows, but a
woman knows better.

Before he became President, Hard-
ing said he was going to let Coolidge
sit in the cabinet. It must have been
a kitchen cabinet he had in mind.

The difference between President
and Vice-President is we have no
babies named Calvin Coolidge Smith.

Since mother and daughter have
their hair bobbed, we suppose father
is welcome to all the hair pins in the
house to fix the car.

Defining an Optimist

"Father, what is an optimist?"
"An optimist, my son, is a fellow
who starts out to play 18 holes of golf
with one ball."

It would be easy to shoot a rocket
to Mars if we could harness the ener-
gy, now expended in shooting bull.

A girl, a whirl, because poor Earl
Thought that the way to treat her,
When next she wants to auto ride,
He'll let the taximeter.

Voice—"Is this the weather bureau?"
How about a shower tonight?"
Prophet—"Don't ask me. If you
need one, take one."

The "Distant Husband" and the Bear
The following missive was received
by the forest ranger of the Pasadena
district and read recently at the an-
nual dinner of the Sierra club in Los
Angeles:

Kind and Respected Sir:—I see in
the paper that a man named J—
S— was attacked and et up by a
bare whose cubs came up and stooped
him by eatin him up in the mountains
near your town. What I want to know
is did it kill him or was he only part
et up and is he from this place and
all about the bare. I don't know but
what he is a distant husband of mine.
My first husband was of that name
and I supposed he was killed in the
war but the name of the man the bare
et up being same I thought it might
be him after all and I thought to know
if he want't killed either in the war or
by the bare for I have been married
twice since and their ought to be di-
vorce papers got out by him or me
if the bare did not eat him all up.
If it is him you will know it by hav-
ing six toes on the left foot. He also
sings base and has a spread eagle
tattooed on his front chest and an ank
on his right arm, which you will know
him if the bare did not eat up these
parts of him. If alive don't tell him I
am married to J— W— for he
never liked J— Mebbe you had
better let on as if I am dead but find
out all you can about him without him
knowing anything what it is for. That
is if the bare did not eat him all up.
If it did I don't see you can do any-
thing any you needn't take any trou-
ble. My respects to your family and
please anser back.

P. S.—Was the bare killed. Also
was he married again and did he leave
any property worth me laying claim
to?

The average American may not
know how to act in the presence of
royalty but he doesn't need any coach-
ing when he holds four kings.

It often happens that the fellow of
whom it was predicted he would come
to a bad end detours just before he
comes to it.

Every man has believed, at some
time in his life, that he could get the
right telephone number.

Four babies were born to one Texas
family in 12 months, according to a
newspaper dispatch. Gee whillikins,
but the storks must grow awfully
big down there.

Speaking of Rondering—
Mrs. Hazel Hoskins rendered 18 gal-
lons of lard from the pigs that Hos-
kins slew last week.—Cross Roads
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Sure! Two can live as cheaply as
one—would like to live.

Why Your Telegram was Delayed
Ellendale, Del.—Love over the wire
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dale, and Edward Rust, operator at
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wire, and each, seeking greater pro-
ficiency, practiced sending messages

to the other in leisure moments.
During all their courtship they
sent their messages back and forth
over the wire and finally when they
decided to slip to Wilmington to be
married the arrangements were made
by wire.

How It Started
When Eve took off her fig leaf dress
(She little cared, we must confess)
And dived into a cooling stream
(By gum, we'll bet she was a dream!)
Because she wore a no-piece suit
(The kind we now would call a beaut)
Her spouse rebuked her as she swam
(We hear she said, Who cares Adam.)

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POLLY AND HER PALS



By Cliff Sterrett

STYLE LEADS TO THE GRAVE

(International News Service)
MARTIN'S FERRY, Ohio, Feb. 4.—Thousands die for fashion, declared Dr. C. B. Winkler, sermonizing on dress reform. "Bare breasts, silk hose, low shoes, with a chic fur coat send thousands into the grave. In the high school dress leads to snobbery and caste, and many a poor man's daughter, with birth, brains, and character even in excess of others, cannot go because of expenses."

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YOUR HEALTH

What Chilblains Are and the Ways to Banish Them

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
Commissioner of Health, New York City

WHEN I was a young chap I taught school in the country one winter. Before going away to college, most of us had to earn money, and this was the way I selected.

I feel sorry for one who has not had the privilege of real country life. Until you have had a breakfast of buckwheat cakes and pork gravy, walked a mile and a half to build a fire in the box-stove, and then had nothing more to do all the rest of the day except to teach school you know nothing of real pleasure.

After the fire was roaring and the schoolroom was swept and dusted it was time for the "scholars" to appear. It was my job then to see how they had endured the nipping air. During at least three of those winter months there was hardly a morning when the thermometer did not register below zero, and for one solid week it was thirty or more below zero.

I stationed myself at the door and closely inspected every arrival. A white nose or a bleached ear was the signal for me to grab the youngster and lead him to a snow pile. With a handful of soft snow I would rub the frozen spot until the blood returned and the tingling nerves gave promise of returned circulation.

This is the way to treat frost-bite. Massage the affected part with snow or cold water.

If this is done at once no bad after-effects are noticed. Chilblains are the painful result of neglected frost-bite. Women who work in kitchens on cold floors, truckmen, stonemasons, policemen and others who are out-of-doors in all kinds of weather are liable to this trouble. Wet feet, tight shoes and some trouble of circulation are the causes underlying chilblains.

You cannot be comfortable unless your feet and hands are dry and warm. Make it a point to keep them in this condition. Then you will avoid frost-bite and chilblains.

The following prescription is very valuable in the relief of chilblains. If your druggist won't fill it for you, ask your friend, the family doctor, to get it for you.

Take one crystal, 5 grains, cod-liver oil, 1 ounce, ether, 2 drachms. Paint this on the chilblain every day. It stops the burning and itching, protects the skin, and quickly cures the condition.

If you get home with badly chilled feet don't stand on the radiator, or put your feet in the oven. Take off your shoes and stockings, put your feet in cold water, and then rub them vigorously with a rough towel. This treatment will restore the circulation and prevent chilblains.

Treat your ears in a similar way. Massage with cold water will warm them quicker than heat, and will prevent the bad effects of frost-bite.

This seasonal advice may spare you the painful and long-continued symptoms which frequently follow exposure to cold weather.

Answers to Health Questions

H. I. J. Q.—What are the best foods to enrich the blood and make more blood?

A—I would suggest that you have a blood-count made to see if you have

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Railroad Briefs About Town

Supt. Wheeler on Safety First
The A B C of safety is: A for Always, B for Be, and C for Careful—"Always Be Careful." There is a sign nailed up before all the men at the shops, reading: Let your light shine—almost a Scripture quotation but not quite, and with it appears a railroad lantern sending forth big rays of light. A "Strike no stock" campaign has been on in the transportation department of the Louisville and Nashville, and concerning it Supt. J. R. Wheeler says in part:

"I am enclosing several copies of a statement which I have prepared, giving the results of the strike no stock campaign. I have used the month of December, 1920, as a basis for comparison and the statement shows a total reduction of 257 head of stock struck. I have also shown in separate columns the increase or decrease based upon train miles made during each December. The figures I have shown are increased or decreased in December, 1921, in the number of train miles made for each head of stock struck. The total train mileage in December, 1921, was about 11 per cent less than for the same month of the previous year and the reduction in the number of animals struck amounted to about 27 per cent. The total average increase in mileage to each head of stock struck amounts to 587.

While the results on some of the divisions were not as satisfactory as might have been expected, yet on the whole I believe the figures show a saving that would not have been effected but for the efforts of those who assisted in the campaign."

Death Draws an old Employee

In the recent death of Mike Holland, of the foundry department, one of the oldest employees of the shops passes. Mr. Holland was known to a large circle of friends and his sincere friendship for his associates endeared him to all intimately acquainted with him, who with the members of his immediate family mourn his loss.

Collier Sees Novel Sight

"I guess you have seen small birds attack vultures and hawks," said J. R. Collier. "Well, I saw something that reminded me of that. Some small boys were flying kites high in the air, and as I looked up, I noticed some small birds flying at one of the kites, and just as I have seen birds light on the back of their large enemies, it looked to me like one of the fighting birds lit on the kite he was after."

Shop Federation Elects New Officers
At their semi-monthly meeting held recently, the federated shop crafts elected the following officers: President, E. G. Cherry, electrician; Vice President, Robert Beachman, machinist; Secretary, E. F. Wilson, blacksmith.

Walsh Tells Newspaper Story
"W. H. Lucie," said J. K. Walsh, "used to be one of the best reporters in England. He wrote for The London Times, and his reports from Parliament always bore the heading 'As Seen and Heard from the Galleries.' Lucie was a crone of Sir William Harcourt, the Liberal leader, and they used to dine together frequently. Once Harcourt missed an engagement with the reporter, who later wrote Sir William a note saying what a disappointment it was, etc., and subscribed himself, as usual, 'Sincerely Lucie.' The papers got hold of it and the story gained currency that Lady Harcourt found the 'Lucie' signed note in her husband's clothing and demanded an explanation."

Shropshire Claimed "Lighted Knots"
"I see there have been some Georgia people at the shop gates," said A. T. Shropshire. "The reason I know it, is because they had a lot of light wood knots for sale, and I know such fine pine knots can come from nowhere except Georgia."

Personal
A. L. Peterson, well known upholstery employee, was off recently for

several days on account of illness. A. C. Cafriger, of the blacksmith shop, and T. E. Wright, of the yard force, are off on a few days vacation visiting friends and relatives in Pensacola, Fla.

W. R. McClusky, of the car department, has announced as a candidate for circuit clerk.

H. O. Hutchison recently spent two days in Birmingham.

Friends of Rufus P. Moore, formerly of the blacksmith shop, will be glad to learn that "Rufe" reports from his job with the T. C. I. at Birmingham that business is picking up with the steel company.

J. T. Boatler, who has completed serving his time at the shops, expects to make a trip to Memphis soon, where he expects to go to work.

Grady Binford, apprentice in the machine shop, was off several days last week on account of illness.

Eddie Stoltz was off part of Friday attending court.

A. B. Duff is on leave to go to his home in Nashville.

Clarence Turner, of the roundhouse, was off sick Friday.

John Norman, who has been off from his work in the roundhouse some time, is back at work.

Lee Prater, of the car department, states that his brother, Caleb Crow, attracted by reports of the coming of Henry Ford, will move to Decatur from his home in Rolling Fork, Miss.

Orville Cline is back at work after a visit to relatives at Mount Hope.

J. F. Hames is about recovered from his recent illness.

W. G. Smith, of Mount Hope, was the recent guest of H. O. Cline, of the car department.

"MASH" DUMPED IN PARKS
TROUBLE CITY OFFICIALS

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 4.—The dry era is causing lots of extra trouble here for landlords and park superintendents.

"Our main trouble right now is that people are dumping 'mash,' the residue from home-distilled liquor, in the city parks," declared James Underwood, city park superintendent.

"A man told me that the way the bootleggers work now is to occupy a rented house for a month and move away," said City Service Director Duffy. "When the landlord looks over the property he finds all drains stopped up with 'mash' and the plumbing fixtures torn to pieces."

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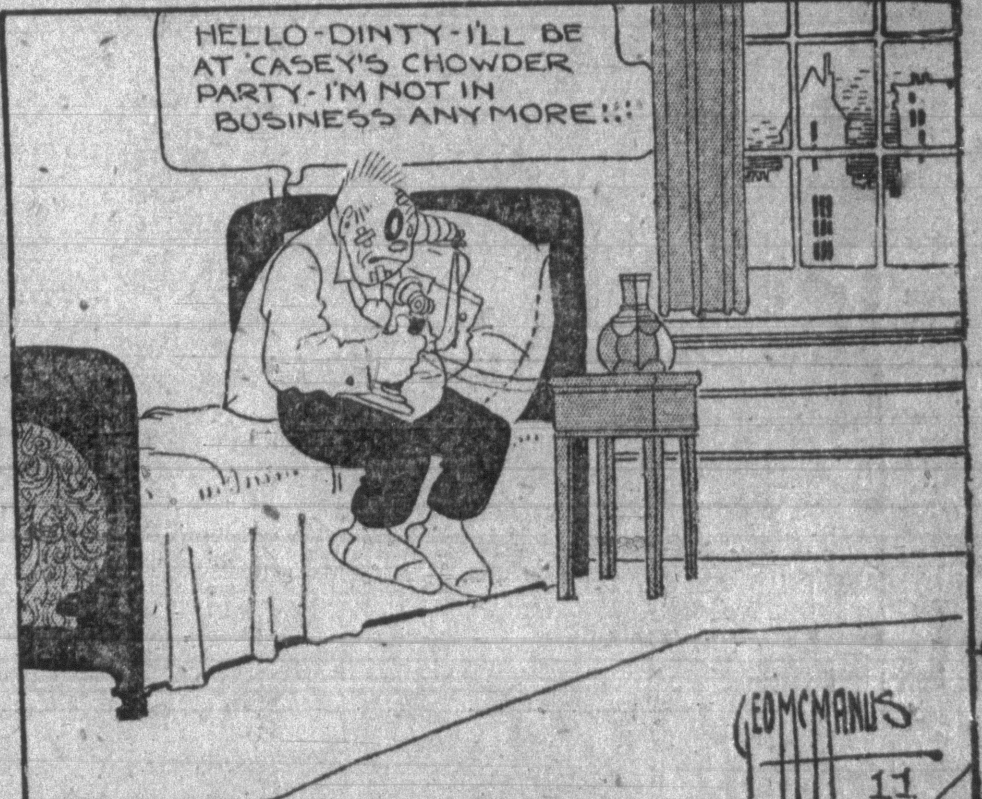
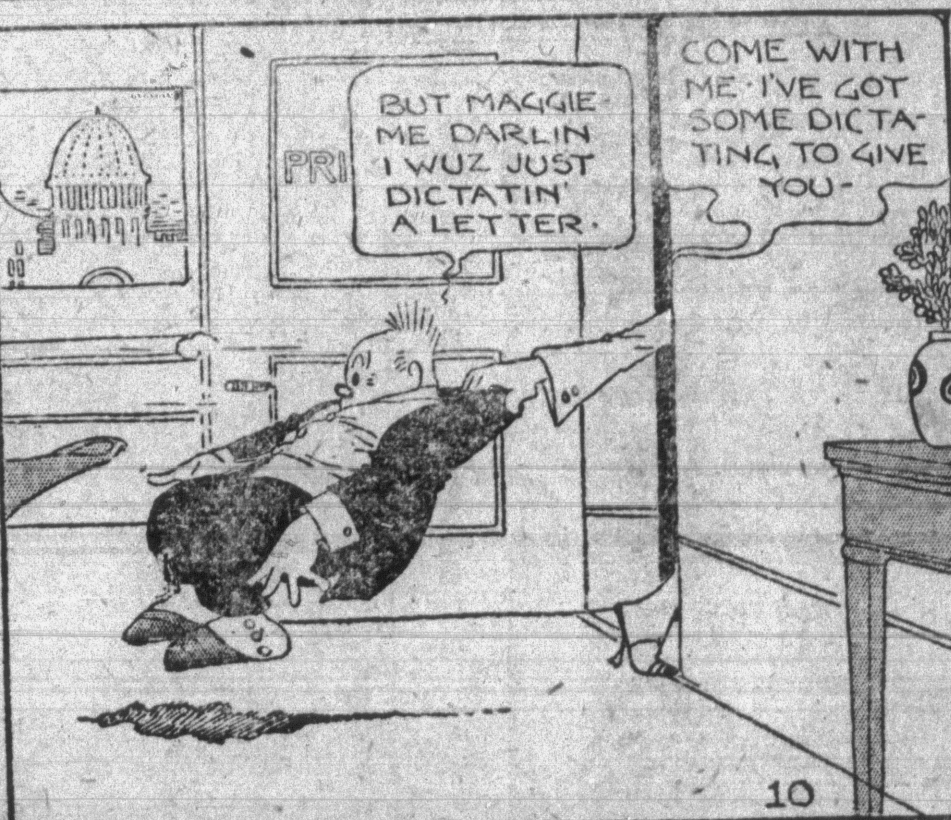
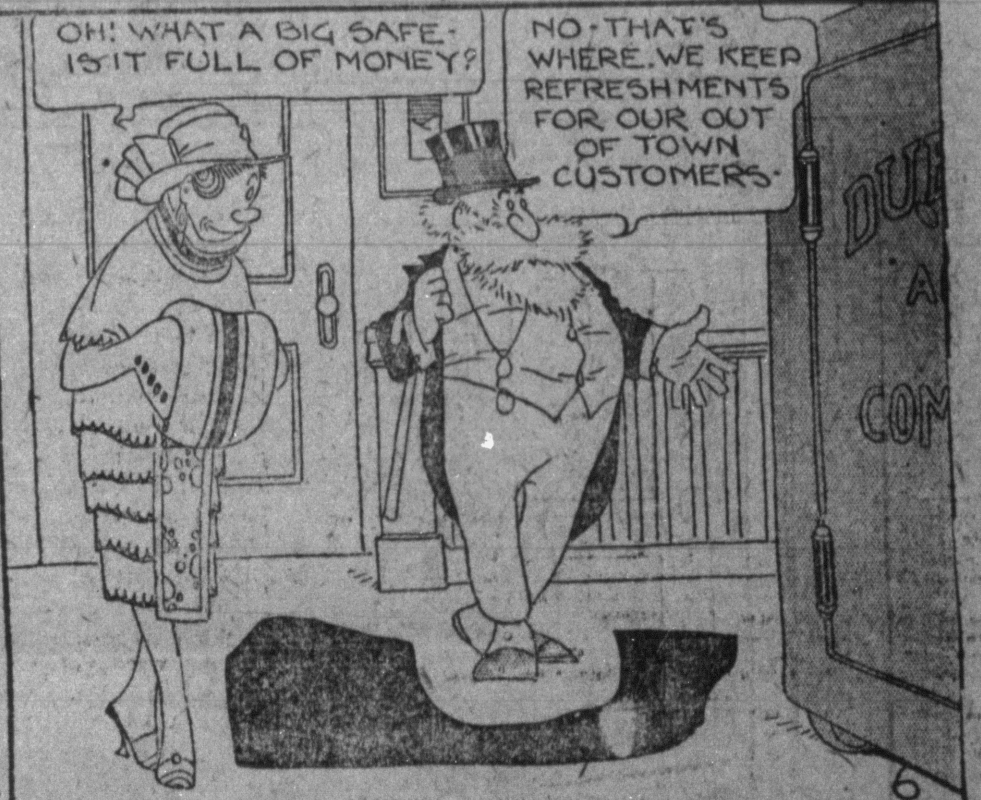
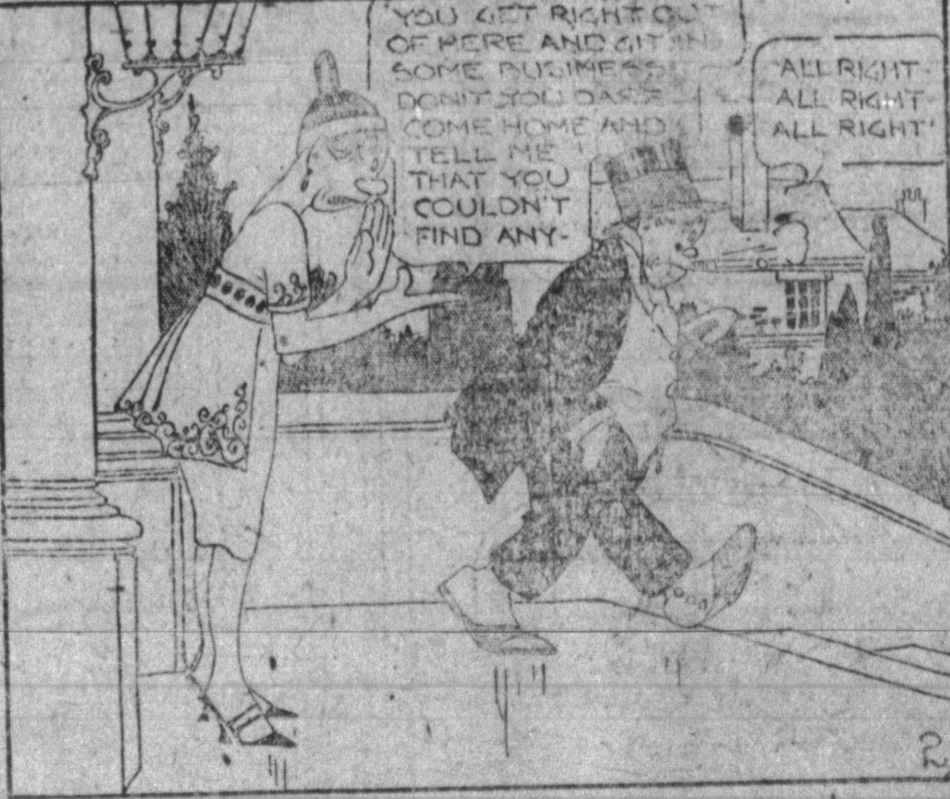
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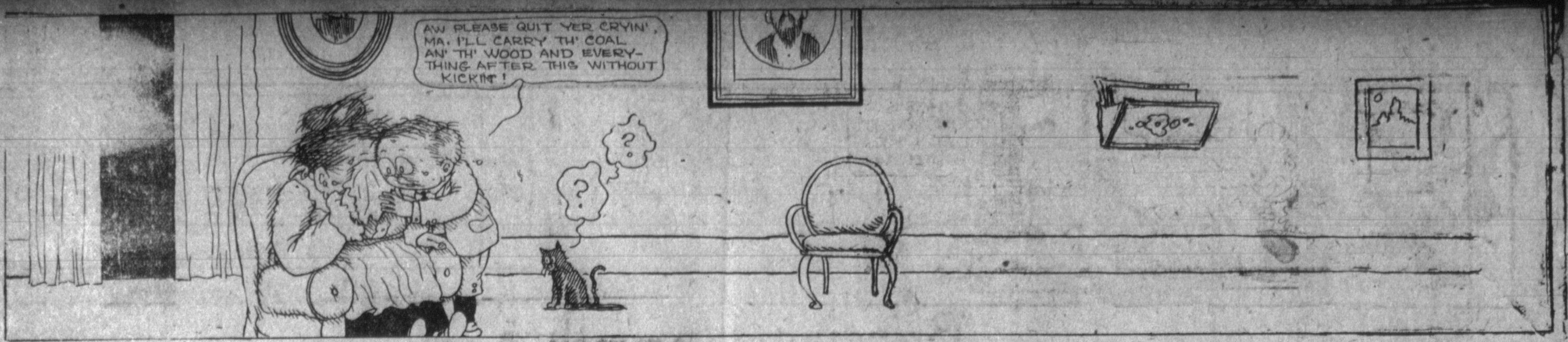
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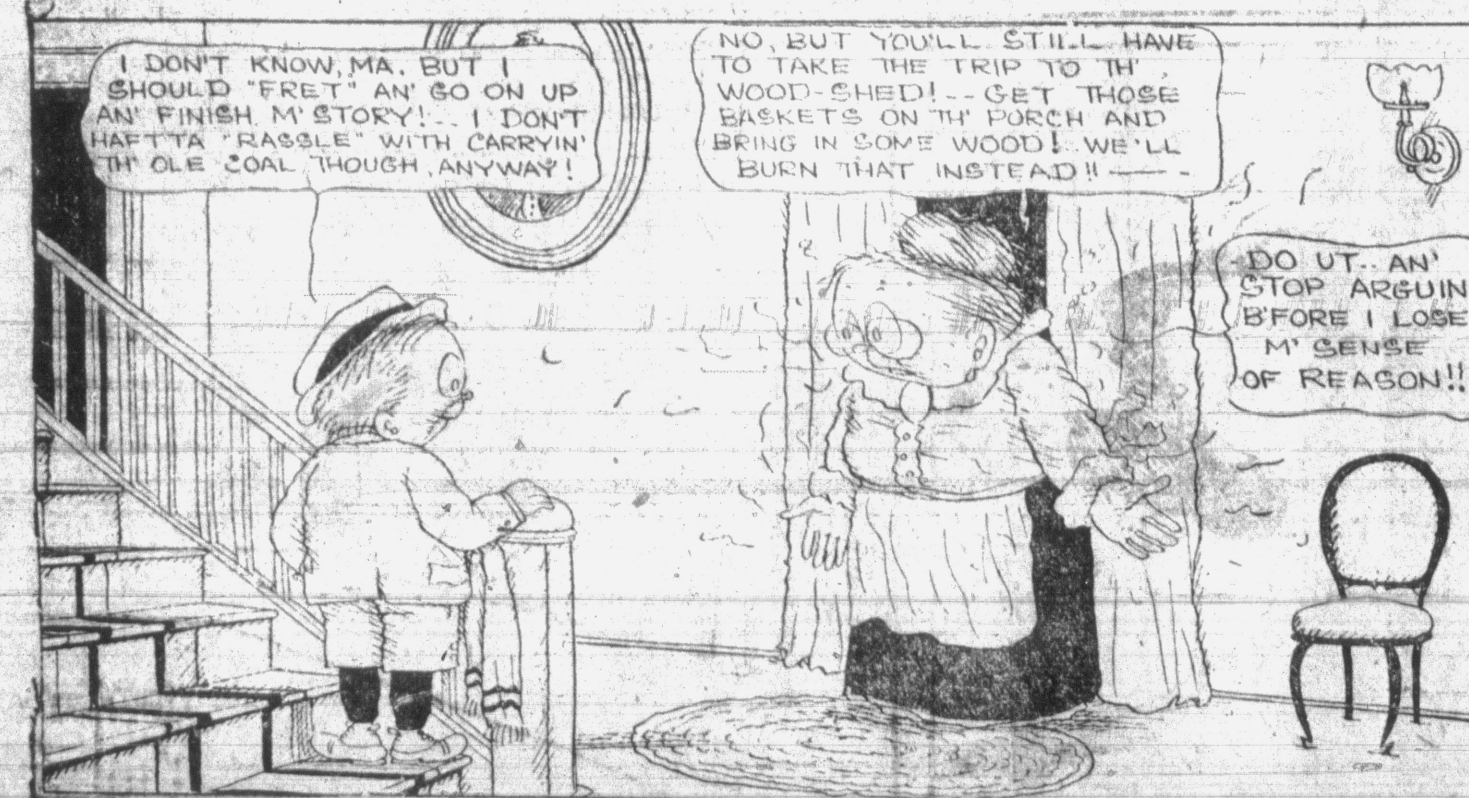


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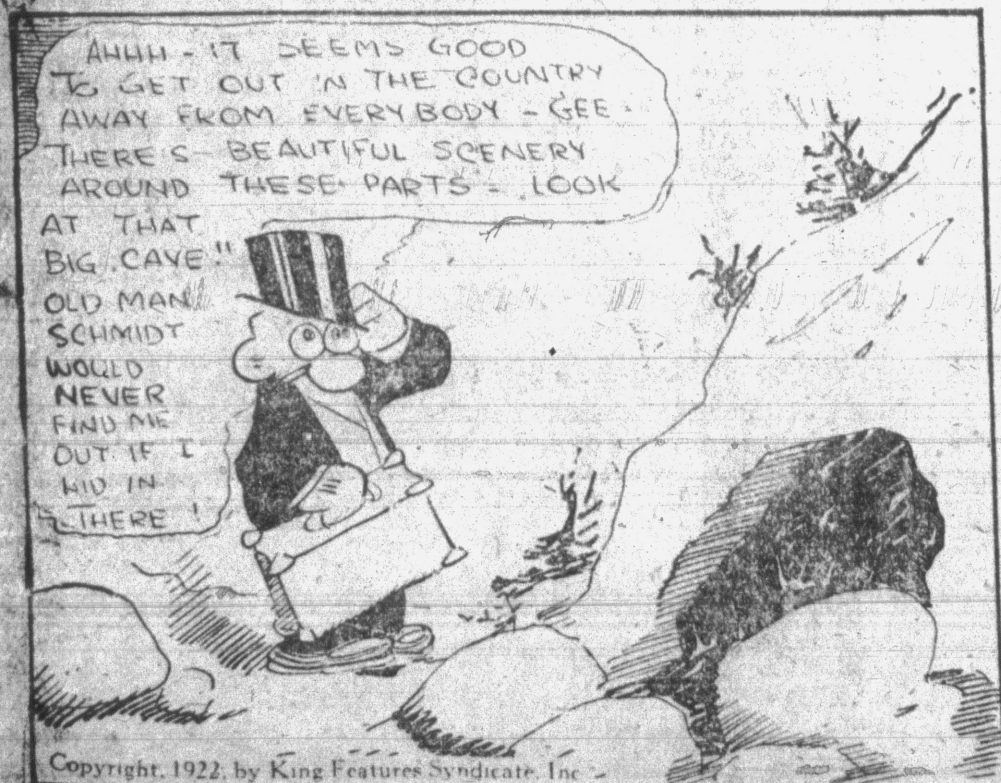
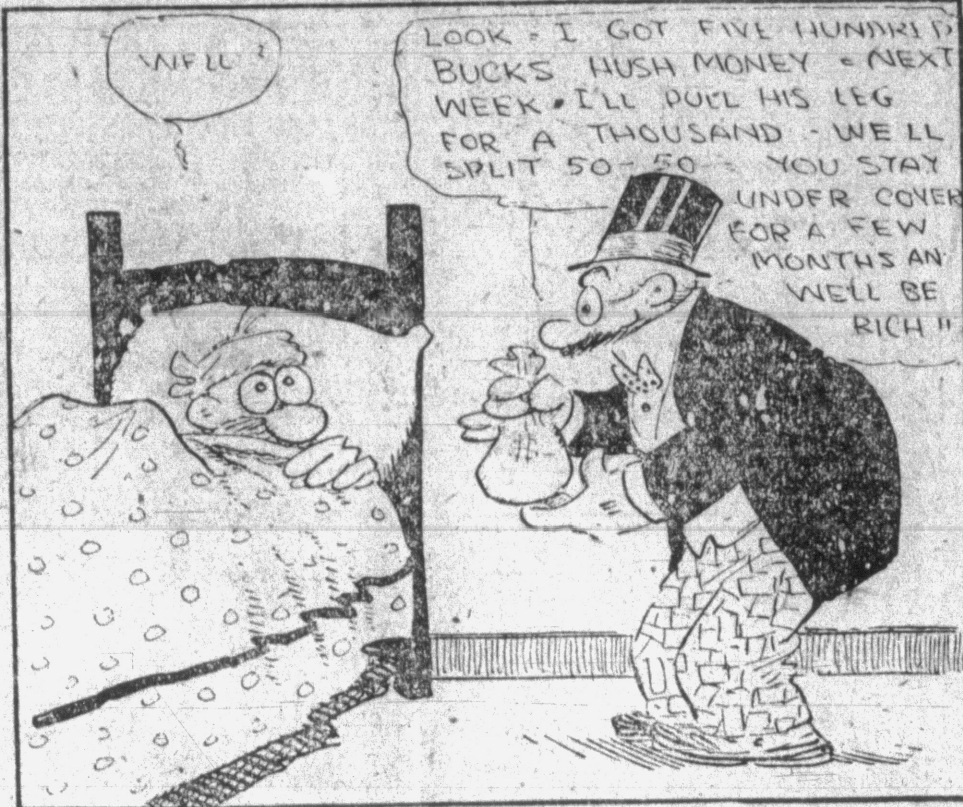
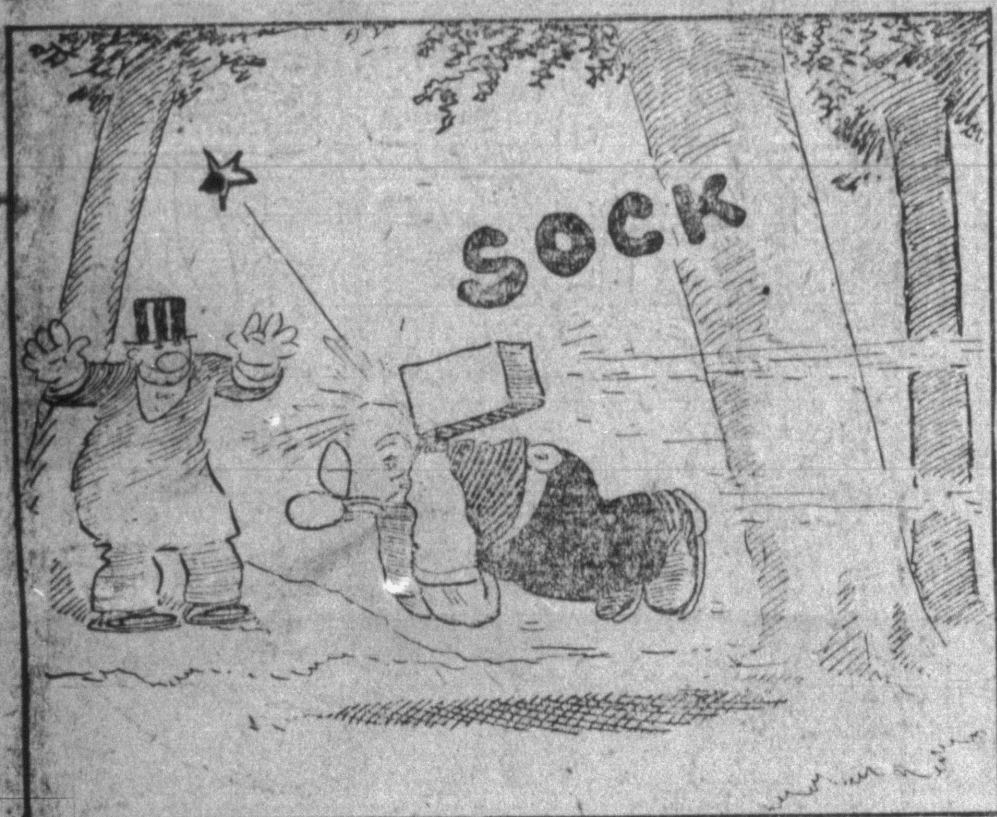
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